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ANNUAL RECORD
OF THE
ANCIENT AND HONORABLE ARTILLERY
COMPANY OF MASSACHUSETTS



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COL STUART P. TAUBER

The two-hundred and ninety-fourth Commander



Seal of the
Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company
of Massachusetts



Arms of the
Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company
of Massachusetts

Chartered in 1638

RULES AND REGULATIONS SEAL AND COAT OF ARMS

¶600.

¶601. *To be used only for official purposes*

¶603 The Corporate Seal of the Company shall be circular, one inch and fourteen sixteenths in diameter.

In the centre a shield, or (gold). On the shield, a man in 1638 armor, grasping in the dexter (right) hand a halberd, the sinister (left) hand resting on the hilt of a sword, all proper colors.

Above the shield, a crest; a dexter (right) arm, vested (sleeve and cuff), azure (blue), grasping a sword to strike, hilt or (gold), blade, argent (silver).

The outer circle shall contain the name of the organization, "Ancient and Honorable Artillery Co. Massachusetts."

The ground of the inner circle shall be azure (blue) and the date of the organization, "16" on the dexter (right) side, and "38" on the sinister (left) side of the shield. No embellishments, variants or deviation from the described Seal shall be made or used by any member of the Company.

¶604 The Company Coat of Arms is designed for ornamental and decorative users. No embellishments, variants or deviation from the described Seal shall be made or used by any member of the Company.

¶606 Shield of azure (blue): An eagle displayed, argent (silvers). Supporters, Dexter (right): An Indian, in dexter (right) hand a bow; in sinister (left) hand an arrow, barb pointing down, all proper colors. Sinister (left): An eagle with wings elevated, proper colors.

Above the shield is the helmet of Esquires with suitable mantling. Crest, Out of a mural coronet, a fire beacon, or (gold).

¶607 Motto:

Facta non Verba

Which translated means "Deeds not Words."

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COLONEL STUART P. TAUBER

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CAPTAIN'S MESSAGE

I wish to thank each and every member of the company for making my command year of 2002-2003 a great success. I was blessed with outstanding officers and a dedicated staff. I single out specifically my LTs, Bill O'Brien and Dan May, my wonderful Adjutant Col Tom Richter and my Chief of Staff Lt Col Marty DeMatteo. Additionally, I want to thank BGEN Joseph Milano, past captain, for his support, advice and assistance throughout the year. My thanks also to LTs George Morrison and Paul Morrill for their great support all year, but specifically during our unique 2003 June Day celebration. This June day was exceptionally detailed, as we hosted the Centennial Anniversary visit by the Honorable Artillery Company of London to our company in 1903.

I also want to mention three others whose hard work and professional skill made this annual record possible. First, my brother Bob Tauber and his wife Amber. Bob is the publisher and editor of Logan Elm Press at The Ohio State University Libraries, and Amber is highly skilled in graphics, layout and document organization. I also wish to thank my wife Jackie, whose support in this project was constant. Her persistence in making me attack this work was paramount in getting it completed.

Finally, I want to mention that I was in the United States Army for over thirty-seven years, both as an enlisted soldier and as an officer. After active duty, I served the majority of the time as a guardsman in the National Guard. I commanded four different units and held staff positions at every level. Commanding this historic organization has brought the highest degree of pride and many great lifetime memories. I hope that I have continued to carry on the great tradition of honoring and supporting our wonderful armed forces.

I wish great success to the company and its future leaders in the coming years. Thank you again for the privilege of being your Captain.

Colonel Stuart P. Tauber
Captain Commanding 2002-2003

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Roster of Officers,
Non-Commissioned Officers
and Committees

OFFICERS, NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES 2002-2003

Commissioned Officers (E)

Captain	COL Stuart P. Tauber
First Lieutenant	LT William J. O'Brien
Second Lieutenant	LT Daniel G. May

Commissioned Staff (A)

Chief of Staff	LTC M. Joseph DeMatteo
Adjutant	COL Thomas E. Richter
Surgeon	BG Donald F. Dressler, M.D.
Assistant Surgeon	LT James M. Gibbons, M.D.
Assistant Surgeon	LT Hernando Romero, M.D.
Judge Advocate	LT Peter Antell
Ordinance Officer	LT Gregory F. Dorn
Aide to the Captain	LT Joseph A. Tamulis
Aide to the Captain	LT Anthony DeSalvo
Wing Adjutant Infantry	MAJ Robert M. McGuire
Wing Adjutant Artillery	LT Paul E. Nader, Sr.
Medical Officer	COL Richard C. Caparso
Dental Officer	LT Alfred L. Arcidi
Liaison Officer	LT Paul J. Fiorenza
Chaplain	BG Robert J. Durkee
Chaplain	COL Edward D. McCabe
Chaplain	COL Alvin I. Lieberman
Public Affairs Officer	COL Michael A. Salvidio
Training Officer	COL Robert H. Pessin
Bandmaster	COL Franklin A. Zarba

Commissioned Staff (E)

Quartermaster	MAJ John F. Welch
Pay Master	COL James R. Littleton
Commissary	LT Paul R. Mignosa
Personnel Adjutant & Clerk	LT Cornelius J. O'Leary

THE LIEUTENANTS, CHIEF OF STAFF AND ADJUTANT



LT William J. O'Brien
First Lieutenant



LT Daniel G. May
Second Lieutenant



LTC M. Joseph DeMatteo
Chief of Staff



COL Thomas E. Richter
Adjutant

ELECTED COMMISSIONED STAFF OFFICERS

MAJ John F Welch, Quartermaster
COL James R. Littleton, Pay Master
LT Paul R. Mignosa, Commissary
LT Cornelius J. O'Leary, Personnel Adjutant & Clerk

Sergeants of Infantry (E)

First Sergeant	COL Robert E. Welch, Jr.
Second Sergeant	SFC Laurence D. Hogan
Third Sergeant	CPL Bernard J. Doherty
Fourth Sergeant	SGT Brian W. O'Malley
Fifth Sergeant	SGT Richard W. Ronder
Sixth Sergeant	MAJ Gerard Friedmann

Sergeants of Artillery (E)

First Sergeant	LTC Bruce W. Warren
Second Sergeant	SGT Kevin A. Bullock
Third Sergeant	SGT Francis J. Magaletta
Fourth Sergeant	SGT Dennis C. O'Brien
Fifth Sergeant	CPT Ilya A. Schneider
Sixth Sergeant	SGT Thomas H. Hillery

COMMITTEES FOR 2002-2003 (E)

Finance Committee (E)

LT Jerome V. Sweeney, Chairman to June 2006
 CPT Dominic R. Uglietto, Secretary to June 2007
 LT Michael J. Verrochi, III to June 2003
 BG Reynold R Graunas, P.C. to June 2006
 LT James A. Lynch, III to June 2004

Trustees of the Permanent Fund (E)

MAJ Louis B. Truscello to June 2007
 LT William R. Mignosa to June 2004
 MAJ Michael W. Downing to June 2005
 LT Michael R. Dorn to June 2006
 LT Michael S. Biskup to June 2003

Military Museum & Library Committee (E)

BG Charles R Forman, Chairman to June 2003
 LT Michael A. Fish, Secretary to June 2007
 LTC Thomas J. Griffin, III to June 2005
 LT Christopher F. Duffy to June 2006
 LTC Salvatore F. Stramondo to June 2004

Non-Commissioned Staff (A)

Sergeant Major	MSG Arthur F. Conrad
Quartermaster Sergeant	CSM George F. Grimes, Jr.
Pay Master Sergeant	SGT Mark C. Tribuna
Orderly	MAJ Robert J. Hoar
Personnel Sergeant	CDR Redmond L. Clevenger
Medical Sergeant	MAJ Marshall Zemansky
Training Sergeant	MAJ Michael S. Finer
Training Sergeant	CPT Robert D. Sheehan
Commissary Sergeant	LT Angelo Parrella
National Color Sergeant	MSG Gerard F Kelly
State Color Sergeant	SFC Leon J. LeBlanc
State Color Sergeant	SFC Stephan H. DaCorta
Centennial	SGT Peter Lou
A&HAC	SGT Frank M. Kemp
POW	SSG E. Steve Banis
Guidon Bearer - Infantry	SGT Peter S. Krippendorf
Guidon Bearer - Artillery	SGT Dominic Previte
Riflemen	SGT Winston Watson
Riflemen	SGT Christopher Podgnoski
Flanker to the Captain	SGT Robert P. George
Flanker to the Captain	SGT Charles J. Deegan
Sergeant Bugler	SGT Arthur G. Allen

COMMITTEES FOR 2002-2003 (A)

Membership Committee

LT John E. Bradley, Chairman
 CPT Albert J. Mundo, Vice-Chairman
 Barton K. Hyte, Secretary

Members

COL Gerard J. Hayes	LT Michael Dorn
COL William J. Raabe	LT Marc A. McNulty
COL John A. Pacella	LT Donald R. Sylvester
CPT James C. Abare	SSG E. Steve Banis, Jr.
CPT Paul G. Knouse	SGT Gerald S. Davidson
CPT Donald F Phillips	James B. Fox
LT Joseph N. Macaуда	

Military Support Committee (A)

BG John W. Carlson, Chairman
LTC John L. Howard, Vice-Chairman
LTC Salvatore F. Stramondo, Secretary

Members

MG Edward J. Langley	MAJ William J. O'Brien, Jr.
MG Arnold R. MacCollum	CPT Angelo C. Sciarratta
BG Albert A. Mangone	LT John T. Lavin
BG George C. Dhionis	SGM Robert A. Lucas
BG Francis A. LaBollita	SGM George F. Bruno, Jr.
COL James A. Greenwood	SGT James P. Clements*
COL J. Albert Johnson*	SGT David L. Cross
COL Edward A. Zullo*	Francis J. O'Rourke
LTC James Bejoian	

*Protocol Officers

Ex officio

COL Thomas E. Richter
CCL Robert H. Pessin
MAJ John F. Welch

Membership Support Committee (A)

LT Gerard C. McCarthy, Chairman
BG Francis A. LaBollitta, Vice-Chairman
David Sutherland, Secretary

Members

COL Joseph T. Amendolare	LT Robert S. Tringali
MAJ Richard F. Savickey	SSG E. Steve Banis, Jr.
CPT Dominic R. Uglietto	SGT Gerald S. Davidson
CPT Robert J. Brady, Jr.	MSG Arthur F. Conrad
LT Vincent N. DeLuca	SGT Dennis O'Brien
LT Frank W. Engel	SGT Dominic Previte

Ex officio:

COL Stuart P. Tauber, C.C.
1st LT William J. O'Brien
2nd LT Daniel G. May

Standing Committee

COL Stuart P. Tauber, Chairman
1st LT William J. O'Brien, Vice-Chairman
2nd LT Daniel G. May
LT Cornelius J. O'Leary, Secretary
COL James R. Littleton, Paymaster
CPT Louis A. Zuliani, P.C.
LT William P. Mignosa
LT Jerome V. Sweeney
MAJ Michael W. Downing
LT Michael J. Verrochi, III
BG Charles P. Forman

Executive Secretary

LTC Donald L. Consolmagno

Curator

LT John F. McCauley

E = Elected

A = Appointed

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The Year in History

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June 2002

- A major earthquake hit Iran, measuring 6.0 on the Richter scale.
- The US government announced that it had prevented an al-Qaida attempt to construct and detonate a radiological weapon (sometimes called a “dirty bomb”) in the US.
- Former mob boss John “Teflon Don” Gotti dies of cancer.
- An asteroid the size of a soccer field barely misses hitting the Earth.

July 2002

- WorldCom filed for bankruptcy protection, in the largest corporate insolvency ever.
- The Foreign Relations Committee of the US Senate begins hearings on the proposed invasion of Iraq
- Cyclist Lance Armstrong wins his fourth consecutive Tour de France.
- Nine American miners have been rescued from a mine in Pennsylvania, after frantic drilling by rescuers.
- Convicted of ten federal counts of corruption, US Congressman James Traficant was expelled from the House of Representatives on a vote of 420 to 1.
- The major Millennium Challenge 2002 war game run by the US armed forces begins.

August 2002

- The gun turret of the USS Monitor was raised from the sea bottom off the coast of North Carolina, where it had lain since sinking in 1862.
- US Airways declares bankruptcy, caused by the air travel slowdown following the September 11, 2001, Terrorist Attack.
- Vladimir Putin announces that Belarus will be fully integrated into Russia, with each of Belarus’s six provinces to become a separate republic within the Russian Federation.

September 2002

- Argentina defeated the US, 87-80, at the World Basketball Championships in Indianapolis, IN. It was the first loss ever in international play for a US team containing National Basketball Association players.
- Commemorating the September 11, 2001 Terrorist Attack, the US Congress convenes for a one-day joint session in Federal Hall in New York City, the original capital of the US.
- Switzerland becomes a full member of the UN.
- In a speech before the UN General Assembly, George W. Bush asserts that Iraq has defied various UN resolutions and is “a threat to the authority of the United Nations and a threat to peace.” He says that the US will work with the Security Council to draft the necessary resolutions for military action.
- Colin Powell meets with the United Nations Security Council to push for stronger resolutions against Iraq. In a surprise reversal, Iraq tells the UN it will allow weapons inspectors “immediately and without condition.”
- The Bush administration pressures US Congress to pass a resolution giving Bush authority to use “all means he determines to be appropriate, including force” to oust Saddam Hussein and disarm Iraq.
- White House and Pentagon officials announce that General Tommy Franks presented detailed war plans to President Bush in September.

- Stock market downturn of 2002: Global indices sink heavily today, with the Nasdaq falling 3% to a 6-year low of 1,184.94. The yield of the US Treasury's 10-year bond sank to a 40-year low of 3.70%, with the 2-year bond yield falling to a record low of 1.89%. Meanwhile, concern of the US plan to invade Iraq pushed oil prices to over \$30 a barrel, not seen since February 2001.
- In both San Francisco and Los Angeles, California, hundreds of anti-war protesters marched and spoke out against the US plan to invade Iraq.
- The annual G7 meeting begins the 2002 IMF/World Bank annual meetings in Washington, D.C. Over 600 protesters are arrested.
- East Timor becomes the 191st member of the United Nations.
- Hundreds of thousands of people marched in London to protest the US plan to invade Iraq. About a hundred thousand also protested in Rome, Italy.
- Johnny Unitas dies.

October 2002

- The Beltway snipers fire the first shot of their shooting spree through the window of a Michaels craft store in Aspen Hill, Maryland, at 5:20 pm, failing to hit anyone. They kill their first victim, James D. Martin, approximately 40 minutes later, at a Shoppers Food Warehouse in Wheaton, MD. Within hours of Police Chief Charles Moose announcing that John Allen Muhammad was wanted in connection with the investigation, Muhammad and his 17-year-old stepson John Lee Malvo were arrested on federal weapons charges, found with the rifle used in the shootings.
- France confirms that an explosion aboard French oil tanker Limburg off the coast of Yemen was, indeed, a terrorist act.
- The US Senate voted to give war powers to President George W. Bush as part of the ongoing conflict between the US and Iraq.
- Jimmy Carter is honored with the Nobel Peace Prize.

- US President George W. Bush amongst many others has condemned the perpetrators of the Bali car bombing of October 11. The death toll has now risen to at least 187.
- The Chechen rebels holding hundreds of hostages in a Moscow theater shot and killed one captive and said they were ready to die for their cause, warning that thousands more of their comrades were "keen on dying." Later, the Chechen separatist "suicide squad" released eight children but kept some 700 people hostage in a Moscow theater rigged with explosives. Diplomats waited for the gunmen to honor a pledge to free about 75 foreigners among their hostages, including Australians, Austrians, Britons, Germans and three Americans.
- Richard Harris, Irish actor, dies at 72 in hospital from Hodgkin's disease, a form of lymphoma.
- Paul Wellstone, US Senator, is killed in a plane crash with his wife, daughter, and five others.
- Hundreds of Israeli soldiers backed by scores of tanks and other military vehicles took control of the Palestinian city of Jenin in response to a suicide bombing that killed 14 people.

November 2002

- An earthquake killed 29 in the town of San Giuliano di Puglia, in Campobasso, Molise, Italy. Most of the 26 victims are children; they were in a school when the roof collapsed. 5,500 homeless.
- An AGM-114 Hellfire missile launched by an American drone airplane destroyed a car in Yemen carrying what the US claims were six members of al-Qaeda, including the mastermind of the USS Cole attack, Qaed Salim Sinan al-Harethi.
- The US Federal Reserve lowered its overnight bank-lending rate to 1.25 percent, and this bigger-than-expected rate cut signals there may be more weakness in the economy than the market expected. The Fed indicated in its statements accompanying the rate cut that concern about a war with Iraq and the thread of terrorism may be slowing consumer and business spending.

- Iran banned advertising of US products and an Iranian, believing a sorcerer had made him invisible, tried to rob a bank in Tehran.
- Democratic Party members of the US House of Representatives chose California Representative Nancy Pelosi as their minority leader, making her the first woman to lead a major American party.
- A plot by a group of terrorists believed to be a part of or affiliated to the al-Qaeda network was revealed as having been uncovered by MI5. The plot involved a plan to release poison gas in the London Underground railway network.
- Abba Eban, former Israeli foreign affairs minister dies.
- The first team of UN arms inspectors arrived in Iraq, where they will prepare for inspections for evidence of development or possession of weapons of mass destruction by Saddam Hussein's regime.
- US President George W. Bush signs into law the creation of a new Department of Homeland Security, which is said to be the largest government reorganization in 50 years.
- Kenyan hotel bombing: Three suicide bombers detonated themselves at a hotel in Mombasa, Kenya, killing a number of people, including Israeli tourists who have been presumed to be the targets of the attack. At the same time two anti-aircraft missiles were fired at a passenger aircraft, which only narrowly missed. The two attacks are suspected to be connected, and it is suspected that al-Qaeda may be involved in the attacks.
- Henry Kissinger is appointed as the chairman of the commission investigating the September 11, 2001, attacks on America.
- It is reported that the Provisional IRA may be about to make substantial concessions in order to re-start the stalled Northern Ireland peace process.

December 2002

- Former Bosnian Serb President Biljana Plavšić pled guilty to one count of crimes against humanity at the Hague tribunal for her part in persecuting Bosnian Muslims and Croats during the 1992-95 conflict, which left 200,000 dead or missing.
- The government of Indonesia and rebel leaders from the province of Aceh (in the north of Sumatra) have signed a peace accord which negotiators hope will bring an end to fighting in the province.
- The Vatican announces that Pope John Paul II has accepted the resignation of Boston's Cardinal Bernard Francis Law due to widespread outcry among Boston Catholics over Law's role in covering up pedophilia-related and other sex crimes among priests in his diocese.
- The European Union invited Poland, Hungary, the Czech Republic, Slovakia, Slovenia, Latvia, Estonia, Lithuania, Cyprus and Malta to join. Expansion is scheduled for May 2004.
- Pope John Paul II will approve the miracle needed to beatify Mother Teresa, whose dedication to the destitute earned her a special place in the pontiff's heart. A second miracle then will be needed to declare Mother Teresa a saint.
- Palestinian leader Yasser Arafat announced that he has called off presidential and legislative elections scheduled for next month, as he feels that continued Israeli occupation of Palestinian territory will make a free election impossible.
- North Korea announced that it is physically removing monitoring devices placed on the Yongbyon nuclear reactor. The devices were placed by the United Nations following the 1994 nuclear agreement to shut down Yongbyon, which is capable of making weapons-grade material, in exchange for deliveries of oil. In November 2002, Korea admitted that it is working on weapons of mass destruction program in response to "imperialist threats."

- North Korea is reactivating a plutonium-producing nuclear power plant north of Pyongyang after removing United Nations seals on the reactor and degrading the capability of surveillance cameras. This same reactor is thought by US officials as the source for plutonium for two previously produced atomic bombs. North Korea has been named by the George W. Bush Administration as part of the so-called "axis of evil."
- North Korea expels UN weapons inspectors, and announces plans to reactivate a dormant nuclear fuel processing laboratory.

January 2003

- US Army division commanders begin a war game at US V Corps headquarters at Heidelberg, Germany, called *Victory Scrimmage*. The exercise is under the command of Lieutenant General William S. Wallace, who is expected to command the American ground forces in a planned US war against Iraq.
- At the Fiesta Bowl in Tempe, Arizona, The Ohio State University Buckeyes defeated the University of Miami (Florida) Hurricanes, 31-24, to win the national championship. Willis McGahee blows up his knee in his final game as a Miami Hurricane and Maurice Clarett concludes his Buckeyes career as a National Bowl Champion before challenging the NFL on entering the 2003 NFL Draft.
- The US Immigration and Naturalization Service proposes rules that will require all Americans traveling abroad to disclose detailed personal information both before leaving the country and before being permitted to re-enter the country.
- A double suicide bombing shatters a busy area of Tel Aviv, Israel. 23 people are killed and about 100 are wounded. Both the Islamic Jihad and Hamas claim to be responsible for the double bombing.
- British Defence Secretary Geoff Hoon announced details of the call-up of reservists in the military build-up calculated to increase pressure on Iraq.

- French President Jacques Chirac, in a New Year's message to French forces, stated that French forces should be prepared to be activated if the UN decides on military action in Iraq.
- North Korea formally withdraws from the Nuclear Nonproliferation Treaty and threatens war if the UN applies economic sanctions.
- UN weapons inspectors in Iraq stated that they found empty rocket warheads, designed to carry chemical warfare agents, at the Ukhaider Ammunition Storage Area.
- The Space Shuttle Columbia launches on its last mission STS-107. It disintegrated 16 days later.
- Tom Ridge is unanimously recommended by a US Senate subcommittee to be confirmed by the full Senate as head of the new US Department of Homeland Security, which is scheduled to begin operation on January 24.
- Martin Scorsese wins Best Director for *Gangs of New York*.
- As part of the plan to invade Iraq, British defence secretary Geoff Hoon announces that 26,000 British troops and equipment including 120 tanks will be sent to Kuwait, joining the 5,000 troops already on their way there.
- Would-be shoe-bomber Richard Reid is sentenced to life in prison for trying to down American Airlines Flight 63 from Paris to Miami. Reid had previously pleaded guilty.

February 2003

- The Space Shuttle Columbia was reported to have disintegrated over Texas on its final approach to a landing after its 28th space mission. All seven crew members were killed in the disaster. It was later discovered that a piece of foam insulation had broken off the external fuel tank and punctured a hole in the left wing during launch.
- An arson attack on an underground train in the Daegu, South Korea, claims at least 180 lives with more than 140 injured and dozens missing. Witnesses reportedly saw a man throwing a milk carton filled with a flammable substance into a train.

- Broadway musicians union members went on strike in protest over producers' proposals to cut the number of musicians at live performances, and the possibility of using taped or computer based music. All but one of Broadway's musicals (Cabaret) closed as a result.
- Key documents presented as evidence that the US should invade Iraq are revealed as forgeries. The documents stated that Niger was selling 500 tons of uranium to Iraq. One, dated 2000, was on stationery from the military government of the 1980s and referred to a foreign minister who had not been in power for 14 years; another bore a signature of the president of Niger that was an obvious fake. Iraq's supposed acquisition of African uranium was a feature in Colin Powell's speech to the UN Security Council in February and in George W. Bush's State of the Union Address. Senator John Rockefeller asked the FBI to investigate the origin of the documents. Rockefeller expressed concern that the forgeries "may be part of a larger deception campaign aimed at manipulating public opinion and foreign policy regarding Iraq."
- The Station nightclub fire in West Warwick, Rhode Island, claims the lives of 100 people.
- An American businessman is admitted to a hospital in Hanoi, Vietnam with the first identified case of SARS. The WHO issues a global alert on SARS.

March 2003

- Serbian Prime Minister Zoran Đindić is assassinated in Belgrade.
- The journal Nature reports that 350,000-year-old upright-walking human footprints had been found in Italy.
- Hu Jintao becomes President of the People's Republic of China, replacing Jiang Zemin.
- Iraq War begins with an invasion of Iraq by the US and allied forces.

April 2003

- US forces seize control of Saddam International Airport, changing the airport's name to Baghdad International Airport and then seize control of Baghdad, ending the regime of Saddam Hussein.
- The Human Genome Project is completed, with 99% of the human genome sequenced to 99.99% accuracy.
- Syracuse wins the college basketball National Championship.

May 2003

- US president George W. Bush lands on the aircraft carrier USS Abraham Lincoln, where he gives a speech announcing the end of major combat in the 2003 Invasion of Iraq. A banner behind him declares "Mission Accomplished."
- The Old Man of the Mountain, a rock formation in New Hampshire, crumbles after heavy rain.
- A draft of the proposed European Constitution is unveiled.
- Eric Rudolph, suspected in the Centennial Olympic Park bombing in 1996, is captured in Murphy, North Carolina.

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364th Anniversary Proceedings
June 3, 2002

364TH ANNIVERSARY PROCEEDINGS MONDAY, 3 JUNE 2002

These June Day proceedings began on Sunday evening in the Georgian Room of The Park Plaza Hotel. This was the annual Governor's Reception and Dinner hosted by the out-going CPT Joseph C. Benoit and his staff. In attendance were the in-coming Captain, COL Stuart P. Tauber, his staff and some guests. The evening is one of great fellowship within The Company.

Monday morning began with a short reveille ceremony in The Boston Common with both staffs, followed by the Captain's Breakfast in The Stanbro Room. In the late morning, both staffs proceeded to perform a wreath ceremony at the grave of CPT Robert Keayne, the first Captain Commanding. They then moved up to The State House to lay a wreath at the John F. Kennedy Memorial. After lunch at Faneuil Hall, The Company and all the visiting delegations formed up outside of the hall. After the stirring tones of The Star Spangled Banner, the parade began. Led by CPT Benoit, The Company passed in review of the visiting delegations and proceeded to St. Paul's Cathedral for the memorial service. At the close of the service, the parade reformed and marched to The Boston Common to hold The Drum Head Election and execute the change of command. All the newly elected and outgoing officers and non-commissioned officers names were read from the podium. Then the command groups resigned and alternately received their commissions. First the outgoing 2nd LT Paul Morrill marched to the podium to a one-gun salute and the Navy service song, "Anchors Away". Awaiting his resignation was Governor Jane Swift. The in-coming 2nd LT, Daniel May, then went forward also to the one-gun salute and the Navy song. The out-going 1st LT George Morrison and in-coming 1st LT William O'Brien repeated the movement. Both received two-gun salutes and the band played the Air Force song for Morrison and the Army song for O'Brien. Finally, the in-coming and out-going Captains completed the change of command. CPT Benoit resigned his commission and COL Stuart Tauber received his commission as Governor Swift placed the silver gorget around his neck as the symbol of command for his coming command year. Both Captains received three-gun salutes while the band played the Army song. The 215th Army National Guard Band performed the music and the gun salutes were done by a firing battery of the 1st Battalion, 101 Field Artillery Regiment of the Massachusetts Army National Guard. CPT Benoit, along with Governor Jane Swift and Adjutant General, Brig. Gen. George Keefe,

trooped the line for his final inspection. The parade then marched off The Common with the new Captain Commanding, COL Tauber, in command. The parade proceeded to The Park Plaza Hotel where a retreat ceremony was held. After a Sergeants' hosted reception of the traditional hot dogs and beverages, all left to prepare for the final June Day Banquet. The banquet took place in the main ballroom of the hotel. This banquet is the last duty performed by the Out-going Captain. CPT Benoit did an excellent job and the affair was a great success. After all the pomp, ceremony and sumptuous dinner, the closing traditions took place. CPT Benoit was presented the miniature gorget that all past Captains wear by the Senior Past Captain, Brig. Gen. Robert L. Marr. He made his very gracious goodbyes and then brought Col. Tauber, the In-coming Captain, from his seat at the end of the head table to the podium. COL Tauber then made some brief remarks. The Colonel mentioned his previous commands in The U.S. Army and stated how honored he was to take command of this old and venerable company. He thanked those who helped him in this achievement and then proceeded to bring the banquet to a close. As has been the custom, all rose and sang "God Bless America." Thus began the new command year of 2002-2003.

TO: CPT Stu Tauber
 Immediate Past CPT Joe Benoit
 Copies to Adjutant and Exec Secretary

FROM: Lt. Philip H. DePasquale

SUBJECT: Report of visiting delegations
 June Day - June 3, 2002

Please see the following for a listing of visiting delegations who participated in the June Day Parade on 6/3/02. I am honored to serve the company as Liaison Officer for this event.

JUNE DAY - ANNIVERSARY PARADE

Visiting Delegations and Other Parade Participants

JUNE 3, 2002

Prepared by Lt. Philip H. DePasquale - Liaison Officer/Visiting Del.
(listed by year formed, where known)

Number Attending	Name of Delegation	State	Year Formed	Officer In Charge
20	First Corp of Cadets	Mass.	1726	Col. R. Matlak Col. D. Saluti
6	Newport Artillery	R.I.	1741	Col. Roy Lauth
8	Kentish Guards	R.I.	1774	Col. Rich L. H Palmer.
30	1st Corp Governor's Foot Guards	Conn.	1771	Capt. D. Conroy
11	2nd Corp. of Cadets	Mass.	1775	Edward Quinn
9	2nd Co. of Governor's Foot Guards	Conn.	1775	Cpt. P. Jenkin
8	Vanum Continentals	R.I.	1775	Maj. James Wilson
10	1st Co. of Governor's Horse Guards	Conn.	1778	1 st Lt. S. McGovern
6	National Lancers (Horsemen)	Mass.	1802	BG Mario DiCarlo
<i>The Following Are Not Centennial Legion Commands</i>				
11	Acton Minutemen	Mass.	1775	Col. R. Werner
14	Aleppo Minutemen	Mass.	1775	Robert Vere
10	Lincoln Minutemen	Mass.	1775	Steve Humphrey
8	Menotomy Minutemen	Mass.	1775	Sgt. Fred Sennott
3	Watertown Provincial Guard	Mass.	1997	Cpt. J. Piantedosi
5	Yankee Division Veterans Assoc.	Mass.	1786	J. Pelsi?
5	Mass. Sons of the American Rev.	Mass.	1889	Col. T. M. Smith
<i>Also Parading or Participating</i>				
41	Regional Training Institute (Mass Military Academy)	Mass.		Lt. C. Maguire
	215th Army National Guard Band			WO. Girard
14	Artillery Firing 101 Field Artillery,			Maj. Sterling
	MAARNG			MacLeod
1	Norwich			Cadet Collella
1	HAC London	England		Maj. Timothy Davis



Colonel Stuart and Mrs. Jacquelyn Tauber with Governor Jane Swift



June 2, 2002 Reveille. Pictured (l to r) Lt Col M. Joseph DeMatteo, 2LT Dan May, Col Stu Tauber, CC, 1LT Bill O'Brien and COL Tom Richter

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365th Fall Field Day Tour of Duty
Budapest, Hungary
Bratislava, Slovakia
Vienna, Austria
October 3-14, 2002

365TH FALL FIELD DAY TOUR OF DUTY PRE-TRIP

Captain Commanding, COL Stuart P. Tauber, led a small group of Company staff and representatives of the Sergeants on the final planning trip for the 365th Fall Field Day Tour of Duty. The group included the following:

First Lieutenant, 1LT William J. O'Brien
Second Lieutenant, 2LT Daniel G. May
Adjutant, COL Thomas E. Richter
LT Brian Pollock
SGT Laurence D. Hogan
SGT Ilya A. Schneider

Departure Day Wednesday, June 11th

Departed Boston for Budapest, Hungary.

Day 2 Thursday, June 12th

Upon arriving in Budapest, Hungary, the group met with Marriott Hotel representatives and completed plans for the following: Company breakfasts, Sergeants' reception and Hospitality rooms. The balance of the day was spent touring ceremonial and sightseeing venues.

Days 3 and 4 Friday, June 13th and Saturday, June 14th

Meetings were held with the U.S. Embassy personnel and representatives of the Dohany Synagogue. Both were very productive and the Embassy staff, under the direction of the Defense Attaché, COL Bruce Sweeney, made all the arrangements for military support from the Hungarian Army, Budapest Garrison.

Ceremony plans were completed at the meeting with Dohany region president, Laszlo Heisler, and his staff at the Dohany Synagogue. From there we drove to Rakoskereszfur cemetery and walked through our planned ceremony with our U.S. Embassy people. The balance of the day and evening was spent examining the sites. We traveled up to Salamon Tower, viewed the Medieval Tournament and ate at the banquet, all of which the Company will participate in on the trip.

Days 5 and 6 Sunday, June 15th & Monday, June 16th

We boarded the Majestic Emperor train and traveled to Bratislava. This train is total luxury and was used by Emperor Franz Joseph, the Hapsburg ruler of Austro-Hungary prior to World War I. He would travel the empire with his court and foreign dignitaries in this fashion. The Company will take this train on the trip and it should be a "big hit" with the men.

Upon arrival in Bratislava, we checked into the Bratislava Forum Hotel. We met with hotel staff and secured our breakfast arrangements, hospitality room and Sergeants' reception location. We also met with Defense Attaché, LtCOL Peter Brigham, and went to the Slovak Army headquarters to complete arrangements for our wreath-laying ceremony. As a result of our previous day's meeting with U.S. Ambassador, the Honorable Ronald Weiser, we rearranged our planning and will now move our ceremony to Pod Bradlom, a hilltop memorial to the great Slovak hero, GEN (Dr.) Milan Stefanik. Full support with military honor guard was guaranteed by both the Slovak army and our Embassy. We decided that the trip banquet will be held at the historic "Country House."

Days 5 and 6 Tuesday, June 17th - Thursday, June 19th

We traveled by motor coach to Vienna and checked into the Vienna Hilton. All hospitality arrangements were completed with the hotel staff and the Hospitality Room will be located in the Presidential Suite. We met with the U.S. Embassy staff represented by COL Bruce Boevers. COL Boevers will be leaving prior to our trip, but he will coordinate and brief his replacement before his departure.

Coordination of events was made with the embassy personnel. We planned our wreath-laying ceremony at the Austrian Tomb of the Unknown Soldier followed by arrangements with the Royal Chapel for a mass. The Royal Chapel is where the world-renowned Vienna Boys Choir sings every Sunday. We also met with the officials of the Spanish Riding School and attended a performance of the famed Lipizzaner stallions. These three events are all located in the magnificent Hofburg Palace.

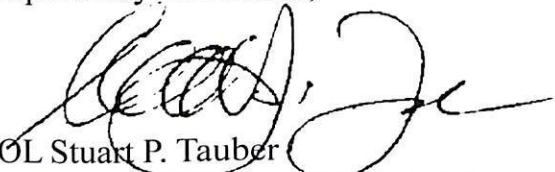
On the trip, the Company will participate at all of these venues and events. We were informed that the Austrians frown on an excessive display of military uniforms. Austria has been a neutral nation since the end of World War II. The Company will do the wreath-laying and other activities in blazer uniform. Finally, we explored many sight-seeing venues such as the Vienna Woods, Shoenbraun and Hofburg Palaces, historic spots and shopping areas of this beautiful city.

We went to an old Viennese restaurant decorated with many antiques and memorabilia from the Imperial Hapsburg era. Around the entire dining room and wine cellar were many hats of military and unusual civilian-wear. The Captain donated his old parade cap to the restaurant. The highlight was the final evening in the famed wine district of Grinzing. This area is crowded with charming wine taverns and cafes. We dined in one of these fun establishments, listened to German folk music and had a great evening. The final Company dinner of the trip will be held at one of these restaurants.

Days 7
Friday, June 20th

We left Vienna and returned to Boston. The trip was very successful and we have planned what should be an equally successful 365th Fall Field Day Tour of Duty.

Respectfully submitted,



COL Stuart P. Tauber
Captain Commanding, AHAC, 2002-2003

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REPORT OF THE 365TH FALL FIELD DAY TOUR OF DUTY

**Budapest, Hungary
Bratislava, Slovakia
Vienna, Austria**

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**Departure Day
Thursday, October 3rd**

Company leaves for Budapest, Hungary.

**Day 2
Friday, October 4th**

Company arrives at the beautiful Budapest Marriott on the "Blue Danube." That evening the sergeants hosted a "welcome to Budapest" reception in the hotel's Erzsebet Room.

**Day 3
Saturday, October 5th**

In the morning, the Company toured the City. We experienced the great history of Hungary's capital as we visited and viewed the many points off interest. On the "Pest" side of the River Danube, we saw St. Stephen's Basilica, the classic neo-gothic Parliament House and Hero's Square with its display of Hungary's rulers. We then crossed the Danube and perused the old section of "Buda." This included the 13th century St. Mathias Church and the Royal Castle with its citadel-like walls overlooking the whole city from its ramparts. The rest of the afternoon was open for more sightseeing and shopping.

**Day 4
Sunday, October 6th**

This day was an emotionally moving part of the trip. First stop was the wreath-laying ceremony and memorial service at the Donhaney Synagogue,, Europe's largest synagogue that is still active and suffered greatly during

the Second World War. The Nazis used this building to dispatch Jews of Hungary to the concentration camps. This was particularly poignant as the Captain's family roots are from old Hungary. We were grateful to have the Hungarian Army Band and Honor Guard as support. There was a large crowd assembled for our ceremony.

We then proceeded to the Rakoskeresztur Cemetery where we laid a wreath honoring the revolutionary leaders of the 1956 uprising. Again, the Hungarian Army Band and Honor Guard joined us along with representatives from the US Embassy.

After these two ceremonies, we returned to the hotel, where we met with the US Ambassador, Nancy Brinker. COL Tauber presented her with an engraved tray commemorating our visit. A reception followed in the Captain's suite.

**Day 5
Monday, October 7th**

After a leisurely morning of sightseeing, shopping, eating and relaxing, the company departed for the village of Szentendre. This is an artist's colony in a Baroque village with galleries, small museums and cafes winding through 16th century dwellings and cobblestone streets. From there, we traveled to the Danube Bend region and King Matthias' castle and Salamon Tower. We participated in a medieval tournament followed by a sumptuous banquet. Everyone had a great time feeding on turkey drumsticks, venison soup and wild boar ribs. Renaissance-style.

**Day 6
Tuesday, October 8th**

We departed Budapest at 9:00 AM for Bratislava, Slovakia. We traveled by a private luxury train named The Majestic Imperator. Emperor Franz Joseph I (Hapsburg) once used this train to tour the Austro-Hungarian Empire. VIPs from the Slovak government and representatives from all the embassies in this ancient capital joined us in Bratislava. Later, United States Ambassador Ron Weiser joined COL Tauber for lunch on the train.

The train continued from Bratislava to Hlohovec (the birthplace of the Captain's father), and then to the majestic monument of General Milan Rastislav Štefánik, the father of Czechoslovakia, located on a large hill overlooking the town Brezova pod Bradlom. We held an emotional ceremony at this monument supported by the Slovak Honor Guard and Band, attended by many dignitaries from our embassy, visiting embassies and the Slovak government. The only drawback was the horrendous weather we encountered on the mountain. Cold, wet, but proud and satisfied, we re-boarded the train and returned to the warmth of the Bratislava Forum Hotel. Later, in the evening, the Company's "Imperial Sergeants" provided all with a fantastic "welcome to Slovakia" party.

Day 7
Wednesday, October 9th

While the Company toured the Slovak capital – visiting the famed Bratislava castle, the cathedral and the charming shops and streets of "old town" – the Captain, COL Tauber, and his staff traveled to the town of Hlohovec as guests of the Mayor, Jan Brezofsky. The group included the following:

COL Tauber
1LT Bill O'Brien
2LT Dan May
Chief of Staff, LT COL Marty DeMatteo
Adjutant, COL Tom Richter
LT Brian Pollock
LT Dick Tedeschi
COL Bob Sheridan

We arrived in Hlohovec in a US Embassy van with a driver and a translator. Mayor Brezofsky greeted us and then took us to the largest business enterprise in the town, a pharmaceutical company recently taken over by an American conglomerate. Executives from the company and the town treated the group to a beautiful luncheon and a briefing in their boardroom. From there it was off on a short city tour to the town square and a 14th century church, and then to the street where COL Tauber's father and grandparents once lived. The home is no longer there. Then, COL Tauber made a short stop to be interviewed at the local TV station.

Finally, the Company visited the town's old monastery, which acts as a ceremonial hall. This stop was a very emotional and moving event for the Captain. He was presented with a copy of his father's birth certificate, an artist's rendering of the Jewish Synagogue that was destroyed by the Russians in the early sixties and lastly, a presentation making the Captain an Honorary Citizen of Hlohovec. It was quite a day.

The van brought the staff back to the Bratislava Forum Hotel to prepare for the Fall Tour of Duty Banquet to be held at Old County House near the hotel. The Fall Tour Banquet was a most spectacular event. In attendance were ambassadors, defense attachés, and other staff members from the many embassies located in Bratislava. The most honored guests were the US Ambassador Ronald Weiser and the President of the Slovak Republic, Rudolf Schuster. In addition, there were many representatives of the Slovak government, both from the military and civilian agencies. President Schuster moved easily through the room during the reception and chatted freely and most comfortably with many members of the Company. He also spoke eloquently as our guest speaker during the dinner. The Fall Field Day Tour of Duty Banquet was a great success.

Day 8
Thursday, October 10th

This was an open day for the Company. Many took advantage of the optional tours to the wineries, the pottery factory in Modra, famous for its Majolica folkware, as well as the ancient Devin Castle. Some also took in Bratislava Castle and the grand panoramic views of the city and the Danube River.

Day 9
Friday, October 11th

The Company departed Bratislava and moved to The Vienna Hilton, Vienna, Austria. That evening, the Sergeants hosted a "welcome to Vienna" party.

Day 10
Saturday, October 12th

This day was a day of optional tours, shopping and visiting the great Austrian capital! Many members visited the beautiful Vienna Woods, which included the boat trip through Europe's largest subterranean lake, the Castle of Liechtenstein and the gothic monastery of Heiligenkreuz. In addition, the trip included a visit to the spa town of Baden and the wine growing village of Gumpoldskirchen.

In the afternoon, the captain, COL Tauber, paid a visit to the U.S. Embassy. He and his staff, 1LT Bill O'Brien, 2LT Dan May, LtCOL Marty DeMatteo and Adjutant, COL Tom Richter were greeted by the U.S. Ambassador, W. L. Lyons Brown. We had a delightful visit with the Ambassador at his impressive offices.

Day 11
Sunday, October 13th

The Company departed the hotel and moved to the historic Hofburg Palace complex, the seat of the Hapsburg Empire for over six-hundred years.

The first stop was a wreath laying ceremony at the Austrian Tomb of the Unknown Soldier. The Company formed up wearing Company Blazers. The Company laid a wreath at the memorial after a short march to the tomb, accompanied by members of the Second Horse Artillery of the Austrian Army Veterans, U.S. Marine Embassy Guards and the U.S. Defense Attaché, COL Scott Saylers. Both COL Tauber and COL Saylers made short remarks. At the close of the ceremony, the Company was honored to participate in the re-enlistment of a Sergeant of the U.S. Marine Embassy Guards.

From the tomb, the Company marched to the Royal Chapel for a service and was treated to the music of the famed Vienna Boys choir. This choir has been performing since 1498.

After the Mass, it was across to a spectacular performance of the renowned Spanish Riding School's Lipizzaner stallions. COL and Mrs. Scott Saylers joined us at the performance, which everyone thoroughly enjoyed.

Afterwards, we all proceeded to a local rathskeller for an afternoon meal. The evening was to be our farewell dinner. All repaired to the charming wine district of Vienna called Grinzing. We all settled into one of the many charming wine cellar cafes and spent the duration of the evening eating platters of Austrian food and drinking Austrian beer and wine. This, coupled with a great deal of singing and camaraderie, proved to be a fitting ending to a great Fall Field Day Trip.

Day 12
Monday, October 14

We departed Vienna and arrived in Boston that evening. All had a great time...a worthwhile experience!

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365TH FALL FIELD DAY TOUR OF DUTY ROSTER

COL Stuart P. Tauber, Captain Commanding

1LT William J. O'Brien

2LT Daniel G. May

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LT COL Ernest C. Caggiano, P. C.

CPT Edward Keelan, P.C.

CPT Paul J. Mahoney, P.C.

BG Robert L. Marr, P.C.

COL Leonard J. Sacco, P.C.

CPT Louis Zuliani, P.C.

Abdella, Charles A.

Allen, Arthur

Armstrong, Richard

Berman, Laurence

Biskup, Michael

Bradley, John E.

Bullock, Kevin

Burns, Edward M.

Caparso, Richard C.

Cappiello, Michael R.

Clevenger, Redmond L.

Clingan, Eldon R.

Colella, Paul M.

Connors, Robert D.

365TH FALL FIELD DAY TOUR OF DUTY ROSTER, cont.

Conrad, Arthur F.	Littleton, James R.
Consolmagno, Donald L.	MacCollum, Arnold R.
Covell, Paul	Maddocks, Emery A.
DaCorta, Stephen A.	Magaletta, Frank J.
Deegan, Charles J.	Magner, Brian J.
DeLuca, Vincent	Maguire, Thomas
DeSalvo, Anthony	Marini, John S.
Doherty, Bernard J.	McCabe, Edward
Dressler, Donald P.	McElman, Ronald G.
Durkee, Robert M.	McGuire, Robert
Farulla, Julio Joseph	Morrill, Paul E.
Fiorenza, Paul J.	Morrison, George M.
Forman, Charles P.	Moynihan, John
Fraizer, Robert A.	Murray, Robert W.
Fridmann, Gerard	Myllmaki, Jr., Edward
Ginaris, Zachary	Nader, Paul E.
Gibbons, James	O'Brien, Dennis
Greenwood, James A.	O'Leary, Cornelius J.
Hall, Robert A.	O'Malley, Brian W.
Harrison, Ronald B.	Panichas, Anthony T.
Hayes, Gerard J.	Parrella, Angelo
Hillery, Thomas H.	Parrillo, Richard
Hogan, Laurence D.	Pasciuto, Frank
Howard, Joseph W.	Peatridge, Christopher W.
Howard, John L.	Penta, Ernest
Kidder, Roscoe N.	Pesaturo, George J.
Kiley, William	Podgurski, Christopher P.
Krippendorf, Peter S.	Pollock, Brian
Lazo, Leo M.	Previte, Domenic A.
LeBlanc, Leon J.	Publicover, Francis G.
LeDoux, Ronald B.	Quinci, John
Lieberman, Alvin I.	Remillard, Arthur J.
Litchfield, Gary J.	Rioux, Nicholas A.

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Roche, Thomas J.	Sheridan, Bob
Romero, Hernando	Stoney, Stanley H.
Ronder, Richard W.	Sweeney, Jerome V.
Ruping, Gary H.	Tedeschi, Richard R.
Ryan, Lawrence T.	Truscello, Rick
Sacco, Victor A.	Warren, Bruce W.
Schneider, Ilya A.	Watson, Winston W.
Shannon, Joe	Welch, Robert E.
Shea, John J.	Zarba, Franklin A.
Shea, Robert	Zecco, Patrick



Ancients Arrive Budapest – SGTs 2002-2003



Hungarian Parliament



Budapest Palace



Pictured (l to r) are BG Robert Durkee, CPT Paul Mahoney, LT William O'Brien, BG Robert Marr, COL Stu Tauber, CC, US Ambassador Ron Weiser, The Slovak Republic President, Rudolph Schuster, LT Dan May, COL Ernest Caggiano, COL Leo Sacco, CPT Lou Zuliani, COL Tom Richter, LT COL John Bryk.



The Slovak Republic President, Rudolph Schuster and COL Stu Tauber, CC at the Fall Banquet reception



Banquet at the Historic County House. Ancients chat with President Rudolph Schuster, Slovak Republic and pictured (l to r) are LT Paul Koval, LT Angelo Parella, LT COL Jim Littleton and LT Gerry Sweeney; back, LT Paul Morrill.



Pictured (l to r) are 1LT William O'Brien, US Ambassador Ron Weiser, COL Tauber, CC, President Schuster and Lieutenant May



Brezova Pod, Bradlom, the site of the monument to General Milan Štafánik, the Father of Czechoslovakia. Standing in front is the AHAC Color Guard



Brezova Pod, Bradlom (same as above)



Dohany Synagogue Holocaust Memorial



COL Tauber presents a gift to the Ambassador to Hungary Nancy Brinker. Pictured with them (l to r) are LT George Morrison, Rabbi (COL) Al Lieberman and SGT Ben Dougherty.



Wreath laying dedication at the Memorial for Hungarians who died in the Revolt against the Russians, 1956. Pictured (l to r) are an Hungarian Officer, COL Tauber, CC, COL Bruce Sweeney, COL Bob Welch and LT COL Gerard Fridmann.



Wreath laying dedication (same as above).



The Vienna Boys Choir performing in the Royal Chapel, Hofburg Palace Church.

Ancient and Honorable
Artillery Company
of Massachusetts

2002



2003

Regular Company Events

*The Massachusetts Army National Guard
101st Regiment
Regional Training Institute
Graduation Ceremony*



*Officer Candidate School
Class 69
Saturday 29 June 2002*

*Post Theater
Camp Edwards, Massachusetts*

**101ST REGIMENT
REGIONAL TRAINING INSTITUTE
OFFICER CANDIDATE SCHOOL CLASS SIXTY-NINE
GRADUATES**

*E. MICHAEL ASCHIM ***

MARK S. AVERY

DEREK J. BARAN

*JUSTIN L. BARRETT ****

MATHEW I. BIALY

CRAIG D. BREWER

THOMAS R. CLARK

CHAD W. CORMIER

NEVILA Z. DHIMA

*ANDREW DOW ****

CONSTANCE T. FERGUSON

*SCOTT W. GEER **

DEREK L. GOODMAN

MOHAMED N. HAFEZ

FLORIAN HEITHIER

SCOTT A. IRISH (See Note 1)

LIAM C. MALLOY

JOHN J. MEDEIROS

GEOFFREY D. METFOONEY

*GRANT J. MOON ***

MOISE MYRTHIL

ANDREW D. PARRIS

RICHARD ST. LAURENT

* Denotes Distinguished Honor Graduate (Top Graduate)

** Denotes Distinguished Military Graduate (Top 10% of Graduates)

*** Denotes Commander's List (Top 20% of Graduates)

Note 1 – Pending completion of Phase III –July 2002

PROGRAM

PROCESSIONAL	Music Recorded by 215 th Army Band Massachusetts National Guard
CALL TO ATTENTION	Major Carol J. DeCambra Adjutant 101st Regiment (RTI)
PRESENTATION OF OCS CLASS 69	Major Nancy A. Souza OCS Company Commander 101st Regiment (RTI)
NATIONAL ANTHEM	Music Recorded by 215 th Army Band Massachusetts National Guard
INVOCATION	Chaplain (Colonel) Edward D. McCabe MAARNG
INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS	Major Carol J. DeCambra
COMMANDER'S COMMENTS	Lieutenant Colonel Charles F. Maguire Commander 101st Regiment (RTI)
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S COMMENTS	Brigadier General George W. Keefe Adjutant General Commonwealth of Massachusetts
ANCIENT AND HONORABLE ARTILLERY PRESENTATION	Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts
CLASS RESPONSE	Officer Candidate E. Michael Aschim President Class 69 Officer Candidate School

PRESENTATION OF AWARDS:

BULL DOG AWARD	For the candidate who has made significant personal sacrifices and has demonstrated unyielding tenacity throughout their involvement in the OCS program. Sponsored by: 101st Regiment.
DRILL AND CEREMONY AWARD	For overall outstanding performance in drill and ceremony. Sponsored by: the 101st Regiment
YD VETERANS ASSOCIATION AWARD	For excellence in Physical Training Sponsored by: the Yankee Division Veterans Association
ACHIEVEMENT AWARD	Most improved candidate in the OCS graduating class. Sponsored by: The National Guard Association of Massachusetts.
DISTINGUISHED ACADEMIC AWARD	For outstanding academic achievement. Sponsored by: Brigadier General (MA) Joseph W. Connery Jr. (Retired) In memory of Major General Joseph M. Ambrose, former Adjutant General of Massachusetts.
ASSOCIATION OF 1ST CORPS OF CADETS AWARD	Presented to the President of OCS Class 69. Sponsored by: Colonel (Retired) Richard Matlak, President, Association of 1st Corps of Cadets.

101ST REGIMENT RTI

LTC (P) CHARLES F. MAGUIRE III
 LTC CHARLES D. ARMANETTI JR.
 LTC LEE E. FIFE
 LTC GEORGE H. FERNANDES
 MAJ CAROL J. DECAMBRA
 MAJ PAUL E. DEGNAN
 MAJ MARK D. SHULZE
 MAJ NANCY A. SOUZA
 MAJ SUZANNE THIBAUT
 CPT FRANCESCA J. LEWIS
 CPT KARA E. ROY
 CSM JAMES M. COLLINS
 ISG JOHN J. O'BRIEN
 MSG JOSEPH F. ALFONSE
 MSG DANIEL J. D'DAGOSTINO
 MSG VERONICA M. D'DAGOSTINO
 MSG ALAN E. JACKSON
 MSG DAVID C. MEDEIROS
 MSG JAMES C. ROBINSON
 MSG CHARLES R. ROTH
 MSG ADRIANO M. SANCHES
 MSG MARTIN F. SWIRKO
 SFC KENNETH A. ALMEIDA
 SFC FREDERICK A. CALLOR
 SFC THOMAS K. DAVIS JR
 SFC ANTONIO FERREIRA JR
 SFC RAYMOND A. FISHER JR
 SFC ORVILLE M. FORBES
 SFC WILLIAM E. GRIGG
 SFC SHERRI M. HUDSON
 SFC GERALD M. LYNCH
 SFC RAYMOND L. O'DONNELL
 SFC RONALD J. RYAN
 SSG ALAN K. AHERON
 SSG ROBERT C. ALBER
 SSG GEORGE BISCARI
 SSG JAMES J. CHRISTOFORO
 SSG JEROME A. CORNUTE
 SSG JAMES GALBERTH
 SSG WILLIAM H. HACKETT
 SSG DONNA L. LOVELL
 SSG KEVIN C. MARTIN
 SSG STEPHEN P. MORIN
 SSG JOSEPH PACHECO
 SSG MICHAEL PERRY
 SSG CHAD A. SIMMONS
 SSG WILLIAM TRIPP
 SGT DANIEL A. BLANCO
 SGT VINCENT M. FOUNTAINE
 SGT RICHARD GILLESPIE
 SGT JOHN J. JUSKIEWICS III
 SGT SHANE T. MCCracken
 SPC RICHARD M. ROGERS
 PFC TROMIE P. PETTAWAY

COMMANDER, RTI
 COMMANDER, 1-101 FA (TNG) BN
 COMMANDER, 2-101 GS BN
 OPERATIONS OFFICER
 ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER
 SR TAC OFFICER (INCOMING OCS CO CDR)
 LOGISTICS OFFICER
 COMMANDER, OCS COMPANY
 ASSISTANT OPERATIONS OFFICER
 COMMANDER, HQ DETACHMENT
 TAC OFFICER
 COMMAND SERGEANT MAJOR, RTI
 FIRST SERGEANT, HQ DETACHMENT
 BRANCH CHIEF - ANCOC
 OPERATIONS SERGEANT
 OPERATIONS SERGEANT (GS BN)
 TRAINING QA
 TRAINING QA
 NCOES INSTRUCTOR
 SUPPLY SERGEANT
 FA CHIEF INSTRUCTOR
 BRANCH CHIEF - BNCOC
 PERSONNEL SERGEANT
 FA INSTRUCTOR
 PERSONNEL SERGEANT (GS BN)
 TITLE 11 - FA
 SR SGL - ANCOC
 NCOES INSTRUCTOR
 SR SGL - BNCOC
 TRAINING SERGEANT
 SUPPLY SERGEANT
 SR SGL - ANCOC
 FA INSTRUCTOR
 FA INSTRUCTOR
 ADMINISTRATIVE SERGEANT
 TRAINING SERGEANT
 FOOD SERVICE SERGEANT
 MEDIC
 TITLE 11 - FA
 TRAINING SERGEANT
 NCOES INSTRUCTOR
 TRAINING SERGEANT
 TRAINING SERGEANT
 ADMINISTRATIVE SERGEANT
 FOOD SERVICE SERGEANT
 NCOES/OCS INSTRUCTOR
 FA INSTRUCTOR
 MEDIC
 SUPPLY SERGEANT
 ADMINISTRATIVE SERGEANT
 FA INSTRUCTOR
 ADMINISTRATIVE SERGEANT
 ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST
 ARMORER

CANDIDATES' PRAYER

O God, Our Father, Thou Searcher of men's hearts, help us to draw near to thee in sincerity and truth. May our religion be filled with gladness and may our worship of thee be natural.

Strengthen and increase our admiration for honest dealing and clean thinking, and suffer not our hatred of hypocrisy and pretense ever to diminish.

Encourage us in our endeavor to live above the common level of life.

Make us choose the harder right instead of the easier wrong and never to be content with the half truth when the whole can be won.

Endow us with courage that is born of loyalty to all that is noble and worthy, that scorns to compromise with vice and injustice and knows no fear when truth and right are in jeopardy.

Guard us against flippancy and irreverence in the sacred things of life.

Grant us new ties of friendship and new opportunities of service.

Kindle our hearts with sympathy for those who sorrow and suffer.

Help us to maintain the honor of the Corps untarnished and unsullied, and to show forth in our lives the ideals of The Academy in doing our duty to Thee and to our Country.

*All of which we ask in the name of the Great Friend and Master of Men.
 Amen.*

The Candidates' Prayer, composed by Lieutenant Colonel (Retired) Laurence P. Crocker, appears in the Army Officers' Guide. It has been modified slightly.

**COL STUART P. TAUBER
CAPTAIN COMMANDING 2002-2003**

**HEADQUARTERS
ANCIENT AND HONORABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY
OF MASSACHUSETTS**

**Armory, Faneuil Hall
Parade Order Number 1**

**Boston, Massachusetts
20 June 2002**

**226th OBSERVANCE OF INDEPENDENCE DAY
July 4, 2002**

1. This Company will participate in the 226th observance of Independence Day, Thursday, July 4, 2002, commencing with the flag raising at City Hall Plaza, Boston, Massachusetts at 0900 hours; followed by a parade to the Old Granary Burying Ground where wreaths will be placed on the graves of Samuel Adams, John Hancock and Robert Treat Paine, signers of the Declaration of Independence. A wreath also will be placed on the grave of Peter Faneuil.
2. The parade will form and continue to the Old State House where COL Stuart P. Tauber, Captain Commanding, will read the Declaration of Independence; as it was first read in 1776 by COL Thomas Crafts, a member of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company at that time.
3. Report:
 - A. Place: City Hall Plaza, Boston, Massachusetts.
 - B. Time: 0830 hours, 4 July 2002.
4. Details:
 - A. Colors will be carried.
 - B. Bugle and drum will be carried.
 - C. Members of the Company will report to the Personnel Adjutant or Personnel Sergeant to receive credit for the parade. It is the member's responsibility to insure that his name is recorded on the roster.

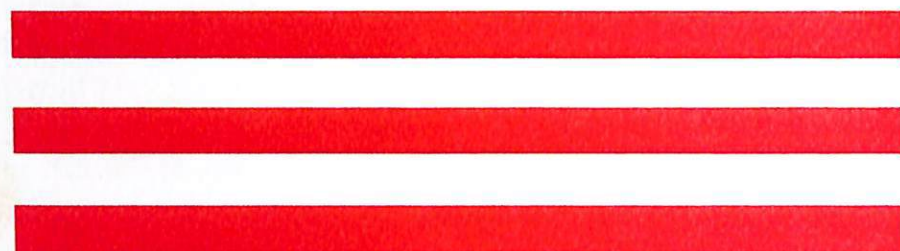
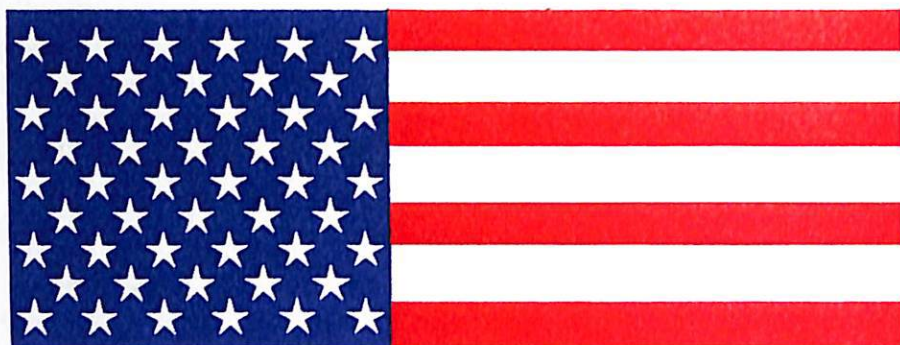
5. Coordinating Instructions:

- A. Uniform: The summer uniform with belt and cap. The traditional parade dress with black shoes, white gloves, belts and caps will be acceptable, however, the Company will be formed in separate sections for those not in summer uniform.
- B. Pre-Parade Assemblage: The Union Oyster House will open at 0800 hours for the convenience of members of the Company; pastry and coffee will be available compliments of BG Joseph A. Milano, P.C.
- C. Post Parade Collation: A collation will be held immediately upon completion of the Parade at the Armory, Faneuil Hall.

**Official:
Thomas E. Richter, Adjutant**

**By order of
COL Stuart P. Tauber
Captain Commanding**

Celebrate



Fourth of **BOSTON**
July 2002



Mayor Thomas M. Menino

INDEPENDENCE DAY, JULY 4, 2002

Coordinated by

Office of Special Events and Tourism

Thomas M. Menino, Mayor

Cecily N. Foster, Director

- 9:00 A.M.** **Official Flagraising Ceremony**, City Hall Plaza, Master of Ceremonies, General John White. Raising of the American Flag by Mayor Thomas M. Menino. *National Anthem*, sung by Ernest Triplett. Pledge of Allegiance, Rear Admiral Michael C. Tracy, USN, Commander Navy Region Northeast. Introduction of Dignitaries. Welcoming remarks by Mayor Menino. **"Stars and Stripes Forever"** by John Shea Military Band. Final Remarks.
- 9:30 A.M.** **Parade** from City Hall Plaza to Tremont Street. Boston Police Department Special Operations Division (Motorcycles, Mounted Units), Marching Unit and Color Guard from the USS Kearsage (LHD-3) and USS Donald Cook (DDG-75), John Shea Military Band, Boston Police Honor Guard, Boston City and State Officials. Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company. Billerica Colonial Minuteman Co., Middlesex County Volunteers Fife & Drum, 4th Royal Artillery, Wilmington Minuteman Co., His Majesty's 47th Regiment of Foot, 7th Mass. Regiment, MDC Allstar Band.

- 9:40 A.M. Halt for Honors** - Old Granary Burial Ground. Wreaths placed by Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company on the graves of Samuel Adams, John Hancock, Robert Treat Paine and Peter Faneuil. Taps. Salvos by Wilmington Minutemen. Parade resumes to Bromfield Street to Washington Street to the Old State House.
- 9:45 A.M. Reading of Declaration of Independence**, Old State House. Trumpet call. Pledge of Allegiance, USS Kearsage's Sailor of the year, PH1 (AW/SW) R.D. Edgar. Introduction of the Captain Commanding of Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company. Reading of Declaration of Independence by Captain Stuart P. Tauber. *Yankee Doodle* by John Shea Military Band. *God Bless America* sung by Ernest Triplett. Final remarks.
- 10:00 A.M. Parade Re-forms**. Congress Street to North Street, ending next to Faneuil Hall.
- 10:30 A.M. Patriotic Exercises at Faneuil Hall**. Prelude; John Shea Military Band; Processional of Dignitaries; **"Battle Hymn of the Republic"** sung by Ernest Triplett. Pledge of Allegiance, USS Donald Cook's Junior Sailor of the Year SM2 Ganas. Greeting from City of Boston by Mayor Thomas M. Menino. **"Stars and Stripes Forever."** **"National Anthem."** Exit Processional by John Shea Military Band.

ANCIENT and HONORABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY OF MASSACHUSETTS

Chartered in 1638

The First Military Company Chartered
in the Western Hemisphere

As the settlements which followed the landing at Plymouth increased and spread there was no organized military force for protection. Thus, the subject of adequate military protection soon became a matter of serious consideration. Many of the settlers had been members in England of the Honourable Artillery Company at London (organized and chartered in 1537) and it was natural that the military training they had received in that Company should lead them to form a similar organization in the new country.

The Governor granted a Charter in March, 1638 and on the first Monday in June thereafter an election of Officers was held on Boston Common. The Common, then being an open field leading down to the Charles River, was the most convenient location. The Ballots were cast on the head of a drum, which was placed in front of the Company. Since that time, the Company has maintained the tradition of holding its annual elections on Boston Common on the first Monday in June and casting the votes on the Drum Head.

The First Captain Commanding of the Company was Robert Keayne whose home was on the corner of State Street. Upon his death he bequeathed in his will to the Town of Boston the land at the head of State Street for a Town House. The land on which the Old State House now stands is Lt. Col. Keayne's bequest.

In its Armory, the Company maintains a Military Museum and Library which is without equal in the United States. The Armory is open to the public daily and thousands of visitors from every part of the country, and many from abroad, register each year in the Armory's guest book.

The Company was loyal to the Colonies during the Revolutionary War and through their existence in the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company they served on every battlefield, from Bunker Hill and Bennington through Valley Forge to Yorktown, where the banner of Massachusetts was displayed.

This is the Company that Washington knew, that Franklin saw march the streets of Boston, that John Adams and John Quincy Adams visited. This is the Company that has counted on its roster four members who received our nation's highest military honor — the Medal of Honor — and has had four of its members serve in the world's most important office, President of the United States: Presidents James Monroe, Chester Alan Arthur, Calvin Coolidge and John F. Kennedy. This is the same Company which has always stood for, and shall always stand for, the best in citizenship and public service.



US Navy Drill Team July 4th



AHAC & Color Guard July 4th City Hall Plaza

**COL STUART P. TAUBER
CAPTAIN COMMANDING 2002-2003**

**HEADQUARTERS
ANCIENT AND HONORABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY
OF MASSACHUSETTS**

**Armory, Faneuil Hall
Memorandum Number 1**

**Boston, MA 02109
20 September 2002**

365th ANNIVERSARY FALL SHOOT

1. The 365th Anniversary Fall Shoot of this Company will be held at the Massachusetts Military Reservation, Camp Edwards, Bourne, Massachusetts, at 0830 on 20 October 2002.
 - A. Coffee and Pastry will be served at 0800 hours. Registration begins at 0830.
 - B. Firing will be conducted from 0830 to 1115.
2. **COMMANDERS INTENT:** The Company will move to the Massachusetts Military Reservation, Camp Edwards, Bourne, Massachusetts via personal transportation, park in the designated parking area and move via military transport to the designated ranges. At the Ranges, the Company will conduct organized and SAFE rifle and pistol competitions. The competitions will be followed by refreshments, an Awards Ceremony, and the opportunity to share fellowship with other members and guests. NO beverages will be consumed while ranges are in operation. No privately owned weapons will be transported to the Massachusetts Military Reservation. No privately owned vehicles will be driven to the ranges without the express permission of the Range OIC LT Gregory F. Dorn. No guest under 18 years of age will be allowed to participate in any way. My intent is that we will have a memorable and enjoyable event that brings credit to the Company.
3. **SAFETY:**
 - A. Camp Edwards Range Regulations will be followed throughout the operation.

- B. At any time during Range operations, any individual observing an unsafe act may call for an immediate Cease Fire.
- C. All personnel will receive a thorough Safety Briefing prior to being allowed on the Firing Line.
- D. All individuals will wear Ear Protection when on the Firing Line.
- E. Individual Range OICs are the Final Authority on safety violations and are authorized to expel from their Range any individual committing an unsafe act.
- F. A designated Medical Evacuation Vehicle will be stationed at each range. Personnel requiring medical evacuation will be taken to the Falmouth Hospital.
- G. Absolutely NO beverages will be served or consumed before range operations or during range operations. The Ordnance Officer, LT Gregory F. Dorn, will authorize the commencement of lunch activities when he receives confirmation from the Range OIC, that all ranges have been closed, and that all weapons and ammunition have been accounted for and secured.

4. COURSES TO BE FIRED:

- A. M16A1 Rifle: Standing position, 25 meters, 2 sighting shots, 10 shots for record.
- B. 9MM Pistol: Standing position, 25 meters, 2 sighting shots, 10 shots for record.

5. SCORING: Scoring will be according to age bracket

Age Category I	18 to 50	White Card
Age Category II	51 to 64	Blue Card
Age Category III	64+	Pink Card
Age Category IV	Guest	Green Card

6. RANGE PERSONNEL ASSIGNMENTS:

OFFICER IN CHARGE:	BG Emery Maddocks, Jr.
Asst. OICs	BG Albert Mangone
	COL Thomas Richter

LIAISON:

LTC John Howard

M-16 RIFLE RANGE:

OIC

BG George Dhionis

Asst. OIC

BG Francis Labolitta

SAFETY

BG Donald Huston

BG Joseph Amendolare

SFC Anthony Buonopane

9MM PISTOL RANGE:

OIC

COL James Littleton

Asst. OIC

MAJ Gerard Fridmann

SAFETY

COL John Goff

LTC James Wiegel

LTC Steven Wojciak

MAJ Robert Brady

MAJ John Welch

SGM Robert Lucas

RANGE SUPPORT:

(Targets, Communications, Ammunition, and Transportation)

OIC

MG Edward Langley

SCORING

COL Timothy O'Shea

COL David O'Brien

CPT Steven Allen

SGM George Bruno

VERIFICATION

MG Arnold MacCollum

MAJ Paul Lennon

MAJ Robert Sheehan

MAJ Edward Ross

COURIER

LT Robert McGuire

COMMUNICATION

COL Robert Pessin

AMMUNITION

CPT Michael Finer

TRANSPORTATION

MSG Arthur Conrad

RANGE REGISTRATION

LTC Donald Consolmagno

STATISTICAL SUPPORT:

OIC (Emeritus)
OIC
Asst. OICs

COL Edward Zullo
COL Joseph Hurney
CAPT Leo Lazo
CDR Redmond Clevenger
CPT Angelo Sciarratta
LTC Robert Frazier
LTC James McAllister
LT Donald Phillips
LT George Wahn
SGT Stephen DaCorta

7. LOGISTICAL OPERATIONS:

ORDNANCE SERGEANT:

SGT Jack Snow

AIDES TO THE
ORDNANCE OFFICER:

LT Michael Dorn
LT Frank Dorn
LT Patrick Zecco
MAJ Kevin Mercadante
SGT Brian Mahoney
SGT Charles Costa
SGT Arthur Allen
SGT Charles Deegan

STAFF OFFICERS:

COL Charles Abdella
COL Michael Campaniello
COL Michael Salvidio
COL Robert McGinley
COL Perry Sacco
LT Paul Covell
LT Cornelius O'Leary
LT Paul Fiorenza
SGT John Quinci
SGT Peter Antell
SGT Leon LeBlanc

**VETERANS DAY
NOVEMBER 11, 2002
STATE HOUSE, BOSTON**

Under the command of COL Stuart Tauber, Captain Commanding, the following members served as an honor guard to Governor Jane Swift. A memorial service to veterans was held in Doric Hall.

COL Stuart Tauber, C.C.
1st LT COL William O'Brien
2nd LT Daniel May
COL Leonard Sacco, P.C.
CAPT Thomas Hudner, CMH
CAPT Thomas Kelley, CMH
LT Cornelius O'Leary
COL Thomas Richter, Adjutant
Lt George Morrison
LT Paul Morrill
LTC James McAllister
SGT Robert Welch
SGT Denis O'Brien
SGT Bruce Warren
SGT Leon LeBlanc
SGT Domenic Previte
SGT Stephen Banis
SGT Frank Magaletta
CDR Robert Gillen
SGT P. Christopher Podurski
CPL Bernard Doherty
CPT Ilya Schneider

SGT Laurence Hogan
SGT Winston Watson
LT Paul Fiorenza
LT H. Stanley Stoney
SGT Jeffery Morrill
SGT Jeffery Kane
CPL Frank Kemp
MSGT Gerard Kelly
COL Donald Consolmagno
CWO Christopher Peatridge
SFC Anthony Buonopane
OL James Greenwood
MG Arnold MacCollum
SGT Arthur Allen
CDR Redmond Clevenger
COL Edward Zullo
CPT Robert Sheehan
SGT Richard Ronder
CPT Albert Mundo
SGT James Weydt
LT Michael Fish



JANE SWIFT
GOVERNOR

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS' SERVICES
239 CAUSEWAY STREET, SUITE 100, BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS 02114
TEL: (617) 727-3578 FAX: (617) 727-5903

THOMAS G. KELLEY
COMMISSIONER

September 5, 2002

Colonel Stuart P. Tauber, Captain Commanding
Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts
Armory, Faneuil Hall, 4th Floor
Boston, MA 02109

Dear Colonel Tauber:

It is my honor to invite the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company to participate in the Veterans' Day ceremony at the State House on Monday, November 11, 2002.

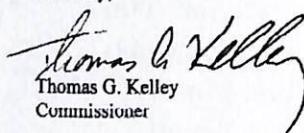
As in years past, I ask that a sufficient number of members act as the Honor Guard for the Acting Governor and escort her and her official party from her office to the Hall of Flags. Departure from the Governor's Office will begin at approximately 9:55am with arrival in the Hall of Flags in time to begin the ceremony at 10:00am.

I would also like to invite you personally to join us at a small reception for the veteran leadership and other distinguished guests in the Governor's Office at 9:15am preceding the ceremony.

Geri Peterson is the point of contact for this Department. She may be reached at (617) 727-3578 extension 114.

Please call, or have one of your staff call, if we can be of assistance. I look forward to your being with us.

Sincerely,


Thomas G. Kelley
Commissioner



COMMONWEALTH
OF
MASSACHUSETTS



VETERANS' DAY

NOVEMBER 11, 2002
HALL OF FLAGS
STATE HOUSE
10:00 AM

Sponsored by

The Massachusetts Department of Veterans Service

Commissioner Thomas G. Kelley

PRELUDE

MUSICAL PRELUDE

The Princemen Chorus, Lt. Norman Prince Veterans of Foreign Wars Post No. 1506

President Mr. Richard Doucette
 Manager Mr. Carl Gullens
 Music Director Mr. Buzzy Burgdoll

United States Air Force Band of Liberty, Hanscom AFB

Deputy Commander/Associate Conductor Lieutenant Cristina Urrutia-Moore

ANNOUNCER

First Sergeant James T. Brown, USA Airborne (Ret.),
 Authorizer for the Department of Veterans' Services

THE PROGRAM

CALL TO ORDER 10:00 AM

First Sergeant James T. Brown, USA Airborne (Ret.)

PROCESSION

The Honorable Jane Swift, Governor
 Commissioner Thomas G. Kelley, and Distinguished Guests

BAGPIPERS

Members of the Massachusetts State Police Bagpipe Brigade

HONOR GUARDS

Ancient & Honorable Artillery Company Captain Commanding Stuart P. Tauber, Colonel, US Army (Ret)
 West Roxbury High School Navy JROTC Captain Michael L. Lagow, USN (Ret.)
 Naval Science Instructor

OFFICER OF THE DAY

SMSGT John A. Franchi, USAF (Ret.)

PRESENTATION OF COLORS

COLOR GUARDS OF THE ARMED FORCES

United State Army Headquarters, Office of the Adjutant General, Milford
 United States Marine Corps 25th Marine Regiment, 4th MARDIV, Worcester
 United States Air Force Patriot Honor Guard, Hanscom Air Force Base
 US Coast Guard Color Guard Headquarters, First CG District, Boston
 Navy JROTC West Roxbury High School

POSTING OF COLORS

USS CONSTITUTION Color Guard

THE PROGRAM (Continued)

NATIONAL ANTHEM

Sergeant Daniel Clark, Massachusetts State Police

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

H. Leonard Greenblatt, President, Blinded Veterans Assoc

POW/MIA CANDLE LIGHTING

Timothy J. Sullivan, Cdr. USN (Ret.), Former POW

SERVICE BRANCH RECOGNITION

Presentation of Caps, Color Members

INVOCATION

Reverend Alston R. Chace, Colonel, USAF (Ret.)
 Vietnam Veteran

WELCOME

Captain Thomas G. Kelley, USN (Ret.)
 Commissioner of Veterans' Services

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

First Sergeant James T. Brown, USA Airborne (Ret.)

GOVERNOR'S WELCOME

The Honorable Jane Swift, Governor

OFFICER OF THE DAY

SMSGT John A. Franchi, USAF (Ret.)

VETERANS' DAY PROCLAMATION

James Fratolillo, State Commander, American Legion

WOMEN VETERANS' TRIBUTE

Mary Jane Letizia, YN1, US Navy (Ret) Desert Storm
 Director of Veterans' Services, Rockland., MA

READING: FORGOTTEN HERO

Becky Johnson, Student, Paxton Center School

WAR DEAD FLORAL TRIBUTE

Presentation to Gold Star Mothers and Gold Star Wives

MUSICAL SELECTION

The Princemen Chorus

VETERANS' DAY ADDRESS

Stephan Ross, Holocaust Survivor

MUSICAL SELECTION

United States Air Force Band of Liberty

SALUTE

Firing Party
 Taps

Ceremonial Unit, Headquarters, MA-ARNG
 United States Air Force Band of Liberty

MUSICAL SELECTION

The Princemen Chorus

BENEDICTION

Reverend Alston R. Chace, Colonel, USAF (Ret.)

GOD BLESS AMERICA

Sergeant Daniel Clark, Massachusetts State Police

CLOSING REMARKS

Commissioner Thomas G. Kelley

RETIREMENT OF COLORS

USS CONSTITUTION Color Guard

**Profile of Stephan Ross
Keynote Speaker**

Stephan Ross was incarcerated as a child in a Nazi concentration camp in Poland at age nine. He survived ten Nazi death camps from 1940 until he was liberated from the infamous torture camp at Dachau. Stephan Ross was fourteen years old when soldiers of the United States Army liberated him in 1945.

Mr. Ross immigrated to the United States of America in 1948 under the auspices of the United States Committee for Orphaned Children. When he arrived in the United States Stephan Ross was illiterate. He overcame this handicap and eventually received several college degrees, including the awarding of a Doctorate of Letters by Northeastern University. Mr. Ross has written numerous articles on the Holocaust.

Mr. Ross is a Founder of the New England Holocaust Memorial on Boston's Freedom Trail, which was dedicated in October 1995 to memorialize the six million Jewish victims of the Holocaust and as a tribute to the Army "GI" Liberators who set free a suffering humanity from an uncivilized world.

From 1974 to present, Mr. Ross has been a Licensed Psychologist as certified by the Division of Professional Licensure of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Mr. Ross serves as a Senior Staff Psychologist with the City of Boston's Community Schools and Centers. He provides guidance and clinical services to inner-city underprivileged youth and families. Mr. Ross has served the last four decades on the streets of Boston as a youth counselor in the field of delinquency prevention. Mr. Ross is a certified Social Studies Teacher and Certified Guidance Counselor.

Stephan Ross has been honored by:

- Who's Who in America - 1974 - 1980
- Boston State College Urban Learning Center Boston Youth Award - 1977
- Northeastern University Humanitarian Award - 1979
- Massachusetts Shomrim Society, Boston Police Chapter Award for Counseling Inner-City Youth - 1984
- Newton Rotary Club Outstanding Achievement in Delinquency Prevention - 1994
- Daughters of the American Revolution Americanism Award and Medal - 1995
- The Forty & Eight American Legion Elite Society Americanism Award - 1995
- Boston Juvenile Court, The Honorable John Forbes Perkins Award for Achievement in Social Services for Children - 1995
- Boston University Dean Arthur Herbert Wilde Society Award in Recognition of Service to the Profession - 1999
- Boston Celtics "Heroes Among Us" Award - 2000

*God and a soldier all people adore In time of war, but not before
And when war is over and all things are righted, God is neglected and an old soldier
slighted.*

Author Unknown

**TOYS FOR TOTS
Monday, December 2, 2002**

Annually, The Company Sergeants host a party to gather toys for needy children during the Christmas season. This year's Sergeants, led by COL Bob Welch - 1st Sgt. of Infantry and LtCOL Bruce Warren - 1st Sgt. Of Artillery, coordinated with The U.S. Marine Reserves to collect these toys at AHAC Headquarters in Faneuil Hall.

On the evening of 2 December 2002, hundreds of Ancients gathered, each bringing an unwrapped toy to support the project. Several Marines in dress blues were there to collect the toys, put them in a 2½ ton truck and take them away to distribute to the needy children. In addition, this year's Sergeants worked with the Newton post of The Jewish War Veterans and collected dozens of socks for homeless veterans. The Ancients proved to be generous contributors.

The Company Commissary Officer, LT Paul Mignosa, provided a sumptuous buffet and refreshments. The Toys For Tots event was very successful. A great many needy children had a little better Christmas and some homeless vets were provided with a little extra comfort this winter.

Ancient and Honorable
Artillery Company
of Massachusetts



Lieutenants' Ball
2002

Friday evening, 6 December, 2002
Seaport Hotel and World Trade Center
Boston, Massachusetts

*The
Lieutenants' Ball
of the
Ancient and Honorable
Artillery Company
of Massachusetts*

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William J. O'Brien
First Lieutenant



Daniel G. May
Second Lieutenant

★★★★★

Program of Events

Honor Guard

Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts
Sergeants 2002-2003

Presentation of Colors

Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts Color Guard
under the Command of MSG Gerard F. Kelly

National Anthem

Maureen Blake Zullo, Soloist
Accompanied by COL Edward A. Zullo

Ecumenical Invocation

COL Edward D. McCabe
BG Robert M. Durkee
COL Alvin I. Lieberman
BG David P. Mahn

The UMass Dartmouth Spinners

Directed by: Mr. Tim Harbold

Dinner

Tom Lamark Orchestra

Reception

Assorted Cheeses

An assortment of Imported, Domestic and Farmstead Cheeses
Served with Fresh Breads, Crackers and Sliced Fruit

Dinner

First Course

Lobster Bisque

Second Course

Roast Pears, Baby Spinach and Frisee with Maple Shallot
Vinaigrette with crumbled bleu cheese

Plated Entree

Grilled Petit Filet Mignon and Lobster Tail with drawn butter,
Black Pepper Mashed Potato, French Beans, and baby
carrots served with Red Wine Tomato Reduction

Dessert Served Tableside

Warm Chocolate Mascarpone Cake with Grand Marnier Sauce
and Vanilla Bean Ice Cream with selection of berries

Freshly brewed Coffee, Decaffeinated Coffee,
and an Assortment of Teas

Freshly Baked Breads

Served with White Bean Spread and Virgin Olive Oil

Dinner Wine Service

White-Gloved Waitstaff to Offer Tableside

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to the following who contributed greatly to the success of this evening:

Our Captain Commanding
COL Stuart P. Tauber

Master of Ceremonies
COL Thomas E. Richter

Invitations
LT George M. Morrison
Candidate for Captain 2003-2004

Coat Room
LT Paul E. Morrill
Candidate for First Lieutenant 2003-2004

Cocktail Hour
LT John E. Bradley
Candidate for Second Lieutenant 2003-2004

Decorations
LT Ronald B. Ledoux
Candidate for Military Museum and Library Committee

Flowers
LT Jerome V. Sweeney
Chairman, Finance Committee

May You Always Have a Twinkle in your Eye
A Song in your Heart
And Love Surround you all the days of your life.

Lieutenants Bill and Dan

Honor Roll of Past Commanders

261st	BGEN James E. Clair	1970-1971	Amsterdam/Budapest
262nd	CPT Edward J. Keelan	1971-1972	London
264th	BGEN Joseph S. Zareiko	1973-1974	Hamburg
265th	BGEN Robert L. Marr	1974-1975	Moscow/Copenhagen/Dublin
267th	MGEN John F. Cremens	1976-1977	Rio de Janeiro/Brazil
268th	CPT Robert D. Murphy	1977-1978	India/Yugoslavia
269th	MGEN James A. Lynch, Jr.	1978-1979	London/Brussels
271st	CPT J. Barry Driscoll	1980-1981	Ottawa/Vancouver
273rd	COL William F. DiPesa	1982-1983	Australia/New Zealand
275th	BGEN Joseph S. Loughman	1983-1984	Hong Kong/Korea
276th	COL Sylvester A. Ray	1984-1985	Rio de Janeiro
277th	BGEN Joseph S. Loughman	1985-1986	Hamburg/Copenhagen
278th	BGEN William P. Koughan	1986-1987	Helsinki/Leningrad/Stockholm
280th	LTC M. Joseph DeMatteo	1988-1989	Munich/Berlin
281st	BGEN Joseph A. Milano	1989-1990	Washington D.C./Tokyo/Bangkok
283rd	BGEN Reynold P. Graunas	1991-1992	Budapest/Marbella
284th	COL Leonard J. Sacco	1992-1993	South Africa/Rio de Janeiro
285th	LTC Ernest C. Caggiano	1993-1994	Lisbon/Malta/Sicily
286th	COL John F. McNulty	1994-1995	Australia/New Zealand
287th	CPT Roy S. Chase	1995-1996	Panama/Santa Domingo
288th	CPT Paul J. Mahoney	1996-1997	London/Paris/Ireland
289th	COL Richard A. Luccio	1997-1998	Munich/Prague
290th	COL John A. Moore	1998-1999	Ottawa/Banff/Vancouver
291st	CPT Albert G. Fiorenza	1999-2000	Helsinki/Tallinn
292nd	CPT Louis Zuliani	2000-2001	Rome/Berlin
293rd	CPT Joseph C. Benoit	2001-2002	Cayman/Belize/Mexico



COL Tauber, CC and Mrs. Jacquelyn Tauber at Lieutenants' Ball 2002

REPORT ON THE INAUGURATION 2003

Captain Commanding, elected officers, past Commanders and fellow Ancients:

Thursday, January 2, 2003 was a cold dry morning as over 100 Ancients assembled in the State House at ten o'clock a.m. On this day Governor-Elect Mitt Romney was sworn in as Governor of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and Commander-in-Chief of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts. The Ancients were the lead military group for the Inauguration. The Company participated in the welcome of our Commander-in-Chief at a gathering of veterans in the Hall of Flags. The Ancients formed a Cordon for Governor Romney and Lieutenant Governor Healey from the executive offices to the House Chambers as a joint session of the House and the Senate convened for the Inauguration of Governor Mitt Romney and Lieutenant Governor Kerry Murphy Healey.

Senate President Travaglini and House Speaker Finneran presided over the swearing in, Both Romney and Healey gave a powerful message address. Following the ceremonies, brunch was provided at the Great Hall.

The evening activities moved across town to the Seaport Hotel and the World Trade Center for the Inaugural Gala. Prior to the Gala the traditional Ancients' dinner for the Governor and Lieutenant Governor was held at the Seaport Hotel.

Brigadier General Joseph A. Milano, P.C., the inaugural chairman, served as Master of Ceremonies for the evening and Captain Commanding Colonel Stuart P. Tauber presented gifts to the Governor and Lieutenant Governor. Warm remarks were exchanged by all.

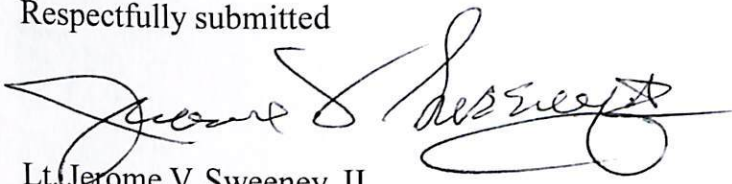
The Sergeants 2002-2003 served as an honor guard, The National Anthem was sung by Maureen Blake Zullo, Brigadier General Robert M. Durkee gave the invocation. Benediction was given by Colonel Edward D. McCabe. An address on Military Protocol was delivered by Colonel John Arthur Moore, P.C.

Following the traditional dinner, the guests departed for the World Trade Center next door for the giant Gala. Members of our Company and their

ladies numbered over five hundred, The Ancients were showcased at Stage Front as the Governor and Lieutenant Governor were formally introduced to over 7,500 guests.

The long day of activities and the months of planning and coordinating were masterfully conducted by Brigadier General Joseph A. Milano, P.C., the chairman, and his committee. The many members and their ladies who attended the inaugural events are to be congratulated for their enthusiastic participation. Thank you Captain Tauber for allowing us to share in this glorious day of celebration.

Respectfully submitted



Lt. Jerome V. Sweeney, II
Secretary of the Inaugural Committee

ANCIENT and HONORABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY of MASSACHUSETTS



Founded in 1637

Armory, Faneuil Hall
Boston, MA 02109

Tel: (617) 227-1638
Fax: (617) 227-7221



Chartered in 1638

4 December 2002

Dear Fellow Ancient:

In the age-old tradition of our Company, "*Facta Non Verba*," our Company will participate in the inauguration of our Commander-in-Chief. On Thursday, 2 January 2003, Governor-Elect Mitt Romney will be sworn in as the Governor of The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

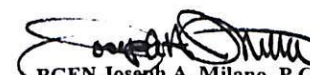
In a tradition that dates back to Governor John Hancock in 1780, the Ancients continue to play a significant role on this important occasion, and we encourage your participation in all events. General Orders that outline specific duties and times will be forthcoming.

The Inaugural Committee has arranged with the full cooperation of the Governor-Elect's Committee to make Inauguration Day 2003 a significant time in our Company's history. Events begin in the morning at the State House, where the Company participates in the Swearing-in Ceremony.

Governor-Elect Romney has invited members and their ladies as his guests to attend the evening's Inaugural Gala at the World Trade Center. As our Commander-in-Chief, Mitt Romney wishes to share his special day with us.

Again, we encourage the participation of all members on this important day and look forward to a strong show of support by the Ancients.

Respectfully,



BGEN Joseph A. Milano, P.C.
Inaugural Chairman



COL Stuart P. Tauber
Captain Commanding

*The oldest CHARTERED military organization in the Western Hemisphere;
and the third oldest in the world.*

**COL STUART P. TAUBER
CAPTAIN COMMANDING 2000-2001**

**HEADQUARTERS
ANCIENT AND HONORABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY
OF MASSACHUSETTS**

**Armory, Faneuil Hall
General Order Number 3**

**Boston, MA 02109
23 December 2002**

**INAUGURATION & SWEARING-IN CEREMONY
GOVERNOR-ELECT MITT ROMNEY
COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF**

1. Commencing at 1000 hours on Thursday, 2 January 2003, the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company will participate in the inauguration of our Commander-in-Chief. On this date, Governor-Elect Mitt Romney will be sworn in as Governor of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
2. All Officers and Members will report:
 DATE: Thursday, 2 January 2003
 TIME: 1000 Hours (10am)
 PLACE: Room 157, State House (use entry on Bowdoin Street side of the State House)
3. UNIFORM: Traditional Parade Dress, black shoes, white gloves, belt and cap. Members entitled to wear Service Uniform will be attired in appropriate uniform.
4. COORDINATION INSTRUCTION:
 A. TOUR OF DUTY: 1000 hours - 1330 hours
 B. Coffee and pastries will be provided to members.
 C. Lunch will be provided in the Great Hall.
5. ORDER OF CEREMONY/EVENTS: All Officers & Members will be given instructions on the day of the event at the State House.

6. SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS:

All Officers and Members planning to attend are directed to notify Executive Secretary LTC Donald Consolmagno not later than 27 December 2002 (617-227-1638). We must know if you plan to attend morning activities so appropriate arrangements may be made.

**Official:
COL Thomas E. Richter
Adjutant**

**By order of
COL Stuart P. Tauber
Captain Commanding**

**COL STUART P. TAUBER
CAPTAIN COMMANDING 2000-2001**

**HEADQUARTERS
ANCIENT AND HONORABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY
OF MASSACHUSETTS**

**Armory, Faneuil Hall
General Order Number 4**

**Boston, MA 02109
23 December 2002**

**INAUGURAL GALA
GOVERNOR-ELECT MITT ROMNEY
COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF**

1. On Thursday, 2 January 2003, Governor Elect, Mitt Romney has invited the Officers, Members and their Ladies as his guests to attend the evening's Inaugural Gala at the World Trade Center.
2. All Officers, Members, and their Ladies will report:
 DATE: Thursday, 2 January 2003
 TIME: 1930 Hours (7:30pm)
 PLACE: Commonwealth Hall of the World Trade Center

3. UNIFORM:

Officers and Members must be in MESS DRESS UNIFORM

4. COORDINATION INSTRUCTIONS:

- A. PARKING: There is ample parking at the Seaport Hotel, which is adjacent to the World Trade Center. Enter on D Street or Congress Street
- B. ADMISSION: Admission is granted by your show of AHAC MESS DRESS UNIFORM. YOUR LADY MUST ACCOMPANY YOU FOR HER ADMITTANCE
- C. RECEPTION: A designated area for AHAC in the Commonwealth Hall of the World Trade Center.
- D. HOTEL ARRANGEMENTS: Arrangements have been made with the Seaport Hotel for those wishing to stay overnight. The cost per room is \$129.00 and reservations may be made by calling the Seaport Hotel at 617-385-4000 as soon as possible. Be sure to identify yourself as being with the "Ancient and Honorable" to obtain the special rate. The World Trade Center is a five-minute walk from the Seaport Hotel.

5. ORDER OF CEREMONY/EVENTS:

1930 - 2030 Hours	AHAC reception
2030 - 2130 Hours	All Officers, Members, and their Ladies will participate in the Inaugural program
2130 Hours	Entertainment

6. All Officers and Members planning to attend are directed to notify Executive Secretary LTC Don Consolmagno not later than 26 December 2002 (617 227-1638).

Official:
COL Thomas E. Richter
Adjutant

By order of
COL Stuart P. Tauber
Captain Commanding



The Inaugural Committee

December 6, 2002

Dear Guest:

We hope you will join us for the Inauguration of Mitt Romney and Kerry Murphy Healey at the State House on Thursday, January 2, 2005.

The swearing-in ceremony will take place at noon in the House Chamber at a special joint session of the Legislature. Seating in the House Chamber is limited to members of the Legislature, Judiciary and Executive Council. We have made arrangements for our guests to view the ceremony by television monitors in designated areas of the State House. Doors and viewing areas open at 10:30 a.m.

We also invite you to join us in the traditional welcoming of the Governor and Lieutenant Governor at 11:00 a.m. outside the State House prior to the ceremony.

Since parking is extremely limited, we suggest you use public transportation.

Thank you.





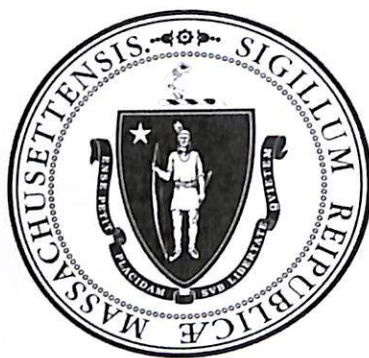
*The honor of your presence is requested
at the
Inauguration
of
Mitt Romney
and
Kerry Murphy Healey
as Governor and Lieutenant Governor of
The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
at twelve o'clock
on Thursday the second of January
two thousand and three
The State House
Boston*



*Reserved Seating
The Inauguration of
Mitt Romney
and
Kerry Murphy Healey
Thursday January 2, 2003
A seat has been reserved in your name
for the Inauguration Ceremony
To confirm your seat, please respond by
December 27, 2002
617.629.8699
You must bring this card to
Room 111 of the State House
between 11:00 and 11:30 a.m.
on the day of the ceremony for your credential
Non transferable
Please use the Bowdoin Street Entrance of the State House*



THE
INAUGURATION
OF
MITT ROMNEY
AND
KERRY MURPHY HEALEY



AS GOVERNOR AND LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR OF
THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

THE STATE HOUSE
BOSTON

TWELVE O'CLOCK
THE SECOND OF JANUARY
TWO THOUSAND AND THREE

TRADITION & TRANSMITTENDA

By James V. Horrigan

In the morning of the day when the governor-elect is sworn in at the State House, the outgoing governor entrusts him with the care and custody of several icons important to the history of our Commonwealth.

In a traditional ceremony dating back more than a century, the outgoing governor transfers to the governor-elect items, known collectively as transmittenda. They are symbols of our heritage and culture.

The first piece of transmittenda is a pair of silver keys wrought by Paul Revere and dating back to the opening of the new State House in January 1798. Attached to the keys is a brass ring with a tag engraved "Council Chamber." Until 1937, the room known as the "Corner Office" was used as a meeting place for the Governor's Council.

The second transmittendum is a piece of slate that was used by Native Americans on Martha's Vineyard to sharpen arrowheads. It has been passed down from one governor to the next since colonial times.

The third transmittendum is a two-volume set of the Massachusetts General Laws. The first volume codifies the laws in effect in 1860 and was first transmitted to incoming Gov. John A. Andrew by outgoing Gov. Nathaniel Banks prior to the gubernatorial inauguration in 1861. When Gov. Andrew left office in 1866 he added a second volume, which amended the original to include the bills he had signed into law between 1861-66. On every Inauguration Day since then, the outgoing governor has inscribed one or both of the volumes "in the presence of the Executive Council," and offered kind wishes and Godspeed to the new chief executive. All sentiments have been addressed to "His Excellency" until 2001, when outgoing Governor Paul Cellucci inscribed his message to "Her Excellency, Governor Jane Swift."

The fourth transmittendum is the Butler Bible. It was given to Gov. Benjamin F. Butler when he took office in January 1883. When he left the State House a year later, Butler conveyed it to his successor, George D. Robinson, with an inscription inside the front cover that said:

"When I came into the Executive Chamber a year ago I could not find a copy of the Holy Scriptures. I suppose each Governor took his away with him. A friend of mine gave me this. I leave it as a needed transmittendum to my successor in office to be read by him and his successor each term." It was signed Benjamin Butler and dated January 1, 1884.

A small clipping from Matthew 5:38-48 and Luke 6:27-36 is glued to the opposite page. It is intended to provide comfort to a new chief executive: "But I say unto you/ love your enemies/ bless them that curse you/ do good to them that hate you/ and pray for them/ which despitefully use you/ and persecute you..."

The fifth transmittendum is a wooden gavel, crafted from an original beam in the White House. President Harry S. Truman had presented it to Foster Furcolo, who went on to serve as governor from 1957-61. Former Gov. Furcolo donated it to the Commonwealth in 1982, to be used by incoming governors in their first official duty, which is to call the Governor's Council into session.



INAUGURAL PROGRAM

THE HONORABLE THOMAS M. FINNERAN
SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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THE HONORABLE ROBERT E. TRAVIGLINI
PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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PROCESSIONAL
GOVERNOR-ELECT MITT ROMNEY
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR-ELECT KERRY MURPHY HEALEY
MASSACHUSETTS CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICERS AND
GOVERNOR'S COUNCIL

★ ★ ★

THE NATIONAL ANTHEM
THE BOSTON LATIN SCHOOL CHOIR

★ ★ ★

INVOCATION
REVEREND GLORIA WHITE-HAMMOND, M.D.

★ ★ ★

**SENATE PRESIDENT ADMINISTERS OATH OF OFFICE
TO GOVERNOR-ELECT MITT ROMNEY**

**SENATE PRESIDENT ADMINISTERS OATH OF OFFICE TO
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR-ELECT KERRY MURPHY HEALEY**

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PROCLAMATION
SECRETARY OF STATE WILLIAM F. GALVIN

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**SENATE PRESIDENT ADMINISTERS OATH OF OFFICE
TO MEMBERS OF THE GOVERNOR'S COUNCIL**

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INAUGURAL ADDRESS
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR KERRY MURPHY HEALEY

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INAUGURAL ADDRESS
GOVERNOR MITT ROMNEY

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AMERICA
THE BOSTON LATIN SCHOOL CHOIR

★ ★ ★

BENEDICTION
RABBI SAMUEL CHIEL

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SESSION ADJOURNED
SENATE PRESIDENT ROBERT E. TRAVIGLINI



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2003

*Headquarters
Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company
of Massachusetts*

*The honor of your presence and
that of your lady is requested to attend the
Inaugural Dinner and Reception
honoring our Commander-in-Chief
Mitt Romney, Governor*

*of the
Commonwealth of Massachusetts*

*to be held at the
Seaport Hotel*

Boston, Massachusetts

on Thursday, the second of January, 2003

Reception: 5:30 p.m.

Dinner: 6:30 p.m.

Dress: Mess Dress

*BGEN Joseph A. Milano, P.C.
Inaugural Chairman*

*COL Stuart P. Tauber
Captain Commanding*



Inauguration Dinner

Thursday, January 2, 2003

**SEAPORT HOTEL
BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS**



**The Ancient & Honorable
Artillery Company
of
Massachusetts**

Salutes

**Mitt Romney, Governor
and
Commander-in-Chief**

**Kerry Murphy Healy,
Lieutenant Governor**

INAUGURAL MENU**Reception****5:30-6:00 PM****Host Bars Select Brand Liquors**

**Olive Tapenade, Infused Olive Oils, Sundried Tomato Spreads,
Hummus, Tabbouleh, White Bean Spread, Warm Artichoke
and Crab Spread and Assorted Cheeses**

Wild Mushroom Wellington**Scallops wrapped in Bacon****Sesame Chicken****DINNER****6:30-8:00 PM****APPETIZERS**

**New England Seafood Cakes with Roasted Corn Relish
Dressed Field Greens**

ENTREE

**Grilled Petit Filet Mignon with Roast Shrimp, Sweet Potatoe
Red Wine Tomato Reduction**

**Basket of Bread with Sweet Butter and White Bean Spread
with Olive Oil**

**Freshly Brewed Coffee, Decaffeinated Coffee
and Assorted Teas**

**Special selected wines served during dinner
White gloved waitstaff.**

Governors and Ancients

As we celebrate the inauguration of our Governor and Commander-in-Chief, we are aware of all the forces in history that have brought us to this celebration: other centuries, other governors, other Ancients.

There were governors who never departed their homeland, never reached our shores: John Robinson of Holland, the leader of the Pilgrims, and later, Mathew Craddock, head of the Massachusetts Bay Company.

There were governors whose names are reflected in the nomenclature of our towns: John Carver, elected on shipboard en route to the new land to administer the Mayflower Compact; William Bradford of Plimouth Plantation; John Endicott of the Dorchester Company.

There was the longest enduring governor, John Winthrop, who, with the General Court, accepted the petition to form "The Military

Company of Massachusetts,” known to us today as the Ancient & Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts. Remember that all governors of the Massachusetts Bay Company were considered “Royal” governors: the first, Sir William Phips; the last, Thomas Hutchinson.

Since colonial times Massachusetts governors have faced tragedy and glory, controversy and courage, Sir Harry Vane was beheaded; John Hancock, one of our most colorful leaders, dealt early with the issues of states and federal rights.

When President George Washington visited Massachusetts and expected the governor to appear before him, Hancock was adamant in expecting the president *to come to him*. Finally, in consternation, Hancock lost his battle and was carried into the presence of Washington with his gout-swollen feet wrapped in red flannel!

The achievements, influences, and troubles of the governors continued. Elbridge Gerry shaped the political divisions of the

commonwealth in a system now called “gerrymandering.” Alvin Fuller made the most controversial decision in his state’s jurisprudence, the execution of Sacco and Vanzetti. Calvin Coolidge made still another precedent-setting decision: calling up the National Guard during Boston’s police strike. James Michael Curley won the affection of Bostonians and Massachusetts yet served in a federal prison for mail fraud.

Most recently, Governor William F. Weld, nominated as Ambassador to Mexico by President Clinton, gave up the governorship to accept. When the Senate refused to confirm the nomination, Weld held firm, refusing another post. In the long history of governors as Commanders-in-Chief, Weld stands out as unique. He reached this honored post by three routes: first by his insistence on becoming an Ancient in accordance with all the requisite demands; second, like all governors, as Commander in-Chief *ex officio*; and lastly, by right of descent, since an early forbear was

Documented as a Company member within the first hundred years.

There were governors who succeeded in reaching national service: Edward Everett, Christian Herter, Calvin Coolidge, Leverett Saltonstall, John Volpe, and Paul Cellucci to name a few. Although their particular parts in inaugural ceremonies have taken various forms, we know that the Ancients have *always* been there!

As we gather here this evening with the Ladies in the Seaport Hotel and later at the World Trade Center for the Inaugural Gala, we are in the traditional celebratory mood.

We feel the forces of what *has been* – and contemplate *what will be*, as the future of our Governor unfolds.

We salute our Commander-in-Chief

Mitt Romney

*Our warmest appreciation to the following
who contributed greatly to the success of this evening:*

Our Captain Commanding
COL Stuart P. Tauber

Master of Ceremonies
BGEN Joseph A. Milano, PC

Honor Guard
Ancient & Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts
Sergeants 2002-2003

National Anthem
Maureen Blake Zullo, Soloist

Invocation
BGEN Robert M. Durkee

Entertainment
Ray Cavicchio

Benediction
COL Edward D. McCabe

Military Protocol
COL John Arthur Moore, PC

Floral Arrangements
LT Ralph and SGT Jeff Kane
Kane Flower World

Invitations
LTC James & J. C. Bejoin
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LTC Hermes Boyatis
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LT Eugene Piacentini
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Union Oyster House

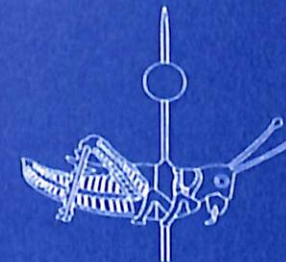
Reception Cheeses
LT Peter Marks
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INAUGURALS

1638 - 2003

GOVERNORS & ANCIENTS



COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

COL Stuart P. Tauber, Captain Commanding
LT William J. O'Brien, First Lieutenant
COL Daniel G. May, Second Lieutenant

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LTC Jerome V. Sweeney, Secretary
COL Thomas E. Richter, Adjutant

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LTC M. Joseph DeMatteo, PC	* Denotes Inaugural Captain

Erratum: COL Daniel G. May should read LT Daniel G. May;
MGEN John Arthur Moore should read COL John Arthur Moore;
LTC Jerome V. Sweeney should read LT Jerome V. Sweeney.



*The Inaugural Committee
requests the honor of your presence
at the*

Inaugural Gala

In honor of

Mitt Romney

and

Kerry Murphy Healey

and their families

*on Thursday the second of January
two thousand and three
at eight o'clock*

*Commonwealth Hall
World Trade Center
200 Seaport Boulevard
Boston*

*The favor of a reply is requested
before December 20, 2002
Response card enclosed*

Black Tie Optional



Senator John Kerry greeted by COL Tom Richter at the Mass State House



Inaugural Dinner 2003. LT Dan May escorts Lieutenant Governor Healy through Sergeants' Sabre Arch



COL Tauber presents an inauguration gift from the Company to Governor Romney at the Inaugural Dinner

PRESIDENT'S DAY LUNCHEON **Monday, February, 17 2003**

The Ancient & Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts gathers annually at the Headquarters in Faneuil Hall for a grand reception and luncheon to commemorate the births of George Washington, Abraham Lincoln and, nowadays, all of our great Presidents. Over 200 members and guests normally attend and we are usually graced with very high level civic and military leaders of our community. This year was to be no different. Our Governor, Mitt Romney, was to attend and receive his Ancient's Blazer as an Ex-Officio member of The Company as well as the Commander in Chief of the Militia. Our guest speaker was scheduled to be Brigadier General Craig A. Peterson, Deputy Commanding General for Homeland Operations and Soldier Systems Center Installation Command, Natick, Massachusetts. The Adjutant General, Brigadier General George Keefe, was also scheduled to be a head table guest.

Unfortunately, Mother Nature had different ideas. As it turned out, a blizzard of monumental proportion struck Boston and Eastern Massachusetts and the effect basically altered all the plans and almost cancelled the entire event. Our guest speaker, General Peterson, was unable to leave his command and cancelled! The Governor and the Adjutant General were on duty at the State House and the Emergency Management Center in Framingham. The caterer showed up as well as some of the Head Table guests. About half the members and some of the guests did make it to Faneuil Hall. Everyone who did come had a wonderful reception and a terrific lunch! The members were resplendent in their Parade Uniforms and those in the military were dressed in like. All who attended made the very best of a difficult situation and the overall camaraderie was outstanding! As it turned out, General Peterson did attend our June Day celebration a few months later and the Captain, Colonel Stuart Tauber, was able to present him with the engraved pen & pencil set that would have been his President's Day gift as our speaker. Overall, the Ancient's made the very best of an unfortunate situation.

PRESIDENTS' DAY 2003

**Head Table
Podium**

LEFT

COL Stuart P. Tauber
Captain Commanding

MS Fay Norad
Director of US Veterans Administration

LT Daniel G. May
Second Lieutenant

CAPT Thomas J. Hudner, Jr.
Medal of Honor

CPT Edward J. Keelan
262nd Commander

LT William Marks
Executive Officer USS Constitution

CPT Louis A. Zuliani
292nd Commander

COL Thomas E. Richter
Adjutant

RIGHT

LT William J O'Brien
First Lieutenant

LTC M. Joseph DeMatteo
Chief of Staff and 280th
Commander

CAPT Thomas J. Kelley, Jr.
Medal of Honor

BGEN Joseph A. Milano
Civilian Aide to Sec. Army
& 281st Commander

BGEN Mario DiCarlo
Massachusetts National Lancers

COL Leonard J. Sacco
284th Commander

HON Thomas Materazzo
Boston Commissioner of Veterans Services

CPT Paul J. Mahoney
288th Commander

Mr. Remy Little
Order of Cincinnati

CPT Joseph C. Benoit
293rd Commander

BGEN David P. Mahn
Chaplain



HEADQUARTERS

ARMORY, FANEUIL HALL

BOSTON, MA 02109

SALEM MUSTER AND PARADE

Saturday, April 19, 2003

The parade detail met at the office of LT Kelly Landolphi at 7:30 AM for coffee and refreshments. The detail formed and paraded to Armory Park for a Memorial Service and wreath laying ceremony. After which the detail paraded to Salem Common and a "Pass in Review".

Attending:

COL Stuart Tauber. CC
COL Thomas Richter, Adjutant
1st LT, COL William O'Brien
LT Kelly Landolphi
LT John Bradley
LT George Morrison
LT Cornelius O'Leary
LT Paul Morrill
CPT Thomas Rupp
CWO Christopher Peatridge
SGT Bernard Doherty

LT Jerome Sweeney
MSG Gerard Kelly
SGT Arthur Conrad
COL Robert Welch, Jr.
SSGT E. Steve Banis
COL William Hurley
CPT Donald Phillips
SGT Christopher Podgurski
CPL Nichols Rizzo, III
CPT Robert Sheehan. Wellesley

★ NATIONAL GUARD ★ ★ HERITAGE MUSTER ★

Saturday, April 19, 2003

An Annual Military Observance in Salem, Massachusetts Marking Six National Guard Anniversaries

★ Armory Park Memorial Service and Second Corps Cadets Anniversary Ceremony 10:00 a.m.

Welcome
Brigadier General Albert A. Mangone (AUS Ret.)
Mass. Army National Guard

Invocation
Chaplain (Colonel) Ron Crewse
Mass. Army National Guard

Lowering of Flags to Half Mast
1/102nd Field Artillery Color Detail

Roll Call of Lexington Alarm Militiamen
Killed in Action
Brigadier General Albert A. Mangone

Wreath Laying
Major General George W. Keefe
The Adjutant General of Massachusetts

Dan Monroe
Executive Director and CEO,
Peabody Essex Museum.

Rifle Salute
101st Engineer Battalion Salute Detail

Taps
215th Army Band Soloist

Remarks
Dan Monroe

Remarks on Second Corps Cadets and
Regimental Induction of Soldiers
Major Mark A. Ray, Commanding Officer

Benediction
Rev. Ken Stiegler
Wesley United Methodist Church, Salem

Singing of *God Bless America*
215th Army Band, under the command of
Chief Warrant Officer James Girard

Troops Parade to Salem Common
Colonel Tom Sellars

★ Muster on Salem Common* 11:00 a.m.

Narrator:
Brigadier General Albert A. Mangone

Formation of Troops

Introduction of Reviewing Party

Howitzer Salute to Senior Reviewing Officer,
Major General George W. Keefe,
The Adjutant General of Massachusetts

Reviewing Party Inspects Troops

Honors to the Nation

Remarks
Mayor Stanley J. Usovich, Jr., City of Salem
Congressman John F. Tierney (D-Salem)
Rep. J. Michael Ruane (D-Salem)
Major General George W. Keefe
Lt. Colonel Thomas Poserski, Commanding Officer,
101st Engineer Battalion (East Regiment)

Pass in Review

Conclusion

*Special thanks to the Rotary Club of Salem for generously
donating the "First Muster Marker" on Salem Common.

This annual event is presented by the Massachusetts
Army National Guard, the Peabody Essex Museum,
and the City of Salem.

If you would like to learn more about the Guardsmen
who were honored today or about Salem's military
heritage, please visit the Phillips Library of the Peabody
Essex Museum (134 Essex Street), the Salem Room of the
Salem Public Library (370 Essex Street), the Salem Maritime
National Historic Site Visitor Center (corner of New Liberty
and Essex Streets), and Wesley United Methodist Church
(8 North Street, to view a display on Leslie's Retreat).

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The National Guard Heritage Muster is an annual military observance
in Salem, Massachusetts, on the weekend nearest to Patriots' Day,
marking the following National Guard anniversaries.

- Organization of the North, South, and East Regiments of the Massachusetts Militia on 13 December 1636—the first permanent militia regiments in the American colonies.
- The First Muster of the East Regiment on Salem Common in the spring of 1637. This event marks the beginning of the United States National Guard.
- "Leslie's Retreat"—the first armed confrontation between American and British troops, on 26 February 1775, when Salem militiamen turned back the 64th Regiment of Foot, commanded by Lt. Colonel Alexander Leslie. The British had planned to seize American cannon hidden near the North Bridge.
- The start of the Revolutionary War on 19 April 1775, when units of the Massachusetts Militia clashed with units of the British Army at Lexington and Concord and during the British retreat back to Boston.
- The first Revolutionary War casualties when, on 19 April 1775, fifty Massachusetts Militiamen, including twelve from Essex County, fell dead or wounded at Lexington and Concord and during the British retreat to Boston.
- The founding of the Second Corps of Cadets, Massachusetts Militia, in Salem in 1786.

The National Guard Heritage Muster is supported by the National Lancers Guard Anniversary
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28 March 2003

Col. Stuart P. Tauber
Captain Commanding
Ancient & Honorable Artillery Company
Armory, Faneuil Hall
Boston, MA 02109

Dear Colonel Tauber:

Enclosed are your requested tickets for the Annual
Lantern Ceremony on Sunday, April 20, 2003.

While the ceremony itself does not begin until
8 p.m., entertainment in the surrounding courtyards
begins around 6:30 p.m. with Paul Revere, the 1st
Michigan Fife & Drum Corps, and the Old North Guild
of Bellringers.

As in the past, all participants and guests will
need a ticket for admission.

We appreciate your continued participation and
hope everyone enjoys the ceremony!

Sincerely,



Cheryl P. Aldridge
Director of Program & Development

Christ Church in the City of Boston (Episcopal) Old North Church
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ANNUAL LANTERN CEREMONY ATTENDEES

COL Stuart P. Tauber, Captain Commanding and Jackie	LTC James Littleton and Guest
2LT Dan May and Guest	LT Tom Bradley and Mini
COL Tom Richter, Adjutant	COL Edward Zullo and Maureen
and Svetlana	SGT Brian Pollock and JoAnne
LT George Morrison and Sharon	MSG Gerry Kelly and Betty
LT Paul Morrill and Barbara	COL Robert Welch and Janet
LT John "Doc" MacCauley and Guest	



Annual Lantern Ceremony

The 228th Anniversary

April 20, 2003

Old North Church Annual Lantern Celebration

April 20, 2003

Prelude 1st Michigan Colonial Fife & Drum Corps
Mark Logsdon, Director

Ringling of the Steeple bells
Old North Guild of Change Ringers

The Entrance Procession 8:00 p.m.
Color Guard from U.S.S. *Constitution*
Members of the Militia
Old North Verger
The Program Participants

Opening Hymn *God of Our Fathers*
Daniel Crane Roberts

The entire congregation stands and sings

God of our fathers, whose almighty hand
Leads forth in beauty all the starry band
Of shining worlds in splendor through the skies,
Our grateful songs before thy throne arise.

Thy love divine hath led us in the past,
In this free land by thee our lot is cast;
Be thou our ruler, guardian, guide, and stay.
Thy word our law, thy paths our chosen way.

From war's alarms, from deadly pestilence,
Be thy strong arm our ever sure defence;
Thy true religion in our hearts increase,
Thy bounteous goodness nourish us in peace.

Refresh thy people on their toilsome way,
Lead us from night to neverending day;
Fill all our lives with love and grace divine,
And glory, laud, and praise be ever thine.

Welcome & Opening Prayer
The Rev'd Stephen T. Ayres, Vicar

Scripture Lesson Judges 19:25-30
The Rev'd Gloria White-Hammond
My Sister's Keeper

Anthem *Sweetness of Mary*
courtesy of The Middlesex County Volunteers
The 1st Michigan Colonial Fife & Drum Corps

Paul Revere's Account of April 18, 1775
David Connor
Paul Revere Tonight!

Paul Revere's Ride Henry Wadsworth Longfellow
Sharon Lloyd Clark
The Carroll School

Anthem *Hymn to America*
Words by Audrey Snyder
Music by Charles H. H. Parry
Arr. by Audrey Snyder

Address Liz Walker
WBZ TV 4
My Sister's Keeper

Offertory Anthem *Concord Hymn*
Vartan Aghababian

Prayers For Our Country and Peace

Who Held the Lanterns? Captain John Pulling
Marston Watson (re-enactor)
3rd great, grandnephew

Samuel Haskell Newman's 1875 Speech Samar Latif
7th generation descendant of Robert Newman

Lighting of the Lanterns
During the singing of *America*, the lanterns will be
carried up into the steeple by Evan and Jason Kaplan,
8th generation descendants of the family of Robert
Newman, church sexton on April 18, 1775.

Hymn *America*
S. F. Smith
The entire congregation stands and sings

My country, 'tis of thee, sweet land of liberty,
of thee I sing;
Land where my fathers died, land of the pilgrim's
pride,
From every mountainside, let freedom ring.
My native country, thee, land of the noble free,
thy name I love;
I love thy rocks and rills, thy wood and templed hills;
My heart with rapture thrills like that above.
Let music swell the breeze, and ring from all the trees
sweet freedom's song;
Let mortal tongues awake, let all that breathe partake,
Let rocks their silence break, the sound prolong.

Our fathers' God to thee, author of liberty,
to thee we sing;
Long may our land be bright with freedom's
holy light;
Protect us by thy might, Great God, our King.

Benediction The Vicar

Closing Hymn *America the Beautiful*
Katherine Lee Bates

The entire congregation stands and sings

O beautiful for spacious skies, for amber waves of
grain
For purple mountain majesties above the fruited
plain!
America! America! God shed his grace on thee,
And crown thy good with Brotherhood from sea to
shining sea.
O beautiful for pilgrim feet, whose stern, impassioned
stress
A thoroughfare for freedom beat across the
wilderness!
America! America! God mend thine every flaw,
Confirm thy soul with self-control, thy liberty in law.
O beautiful for heroes proved, in liberating strife,
Who more than self their country loved, and mercy
more than life!
America! America! May God thy gold refine,
Till all success be nobleness, and every gain divine.
O beautiful for patriot dream that sees beyond the
years
Thine alabaster cities gleam, undimmed by human
tears!
America! America! God shed his grace on thee,
And crown thy good with Brotherhood from sea to
shining sea.

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COL STUART P. TAUBER CAPTAIN COMMANDING 2002-2003

HEADQUARTERS ANCIENT AND HONORABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY OF MASSACHUSETTS

Armory, Faneuil Hall
Parade Order Number 3

Boston, MA 02109
9 April, 2003

228TH OBSERVANCE OF PATRIOT'S DAY BOSTON CITY HALL

I. On Monday, 21 April 2003, The Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company will participate in the annual Boston Patriots' Day Parade

II. COMMANDER OF THE TROOPS, COL STUART P. TAUBER, CC

III. COLORS AND STANDARDS will be carried.

IV. ORDER OF MARCH:

Commander and Adjutant, Honorary staff, Infantry Wing Commander and Adjutant, Infantry Wing, Colors and Standard, Artillery Wing Commander and Adjutant, Artillery Wing

V. COORDINATING INSTRUCTIONS:

A. PLACE: Assembly area for Parade, Boston City Hall Plaza.
TIME: NLT 0845 hours, 21 April 2003

B. UNIFORM:

1. Parade Dress, black shoes and tie, with white gloves, belt and cover.
2. Service Uniform may be worn by those members entitled to wear same.

C. COORDINATING INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Members are reminded to report to the Personnel Adjutant and Clerk or the Personnel Sergeant to receive credit for the parade

2. Coffee and refreshments available preceding the parade at the Union Oyster House Restaurant at 0800 hours.

Official:
COL Thomas E. Richter
Adjutant

By order of
COL Stuart P. Tauber
Captain Commanding

COL STUART P. TAUBER CAPTAIN
COMMANDING 2002-2003

HEADQUARTERS
ANCIENT AND HONORABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY
OF MASSACHUSETTS

228TH OBSERVANCE OF PATRIOT'S DAY - LEXINGTON
"FREEDOM IS NOT FREE"

Armory, Faneuil Hall
Parade Order Number 4

Boston, MA 02109
9 April, 2003

- I. On Monday, 21 April 2003, The Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company will participate in the Town of Lexington Parade and the 228th Anniversary of the Battle on Lexington Green.
- II. COMMANDER OF THE TROOPS: COL STUART P. TAUBER, CC
- III. COLORS AND STANDARDS will be carried.
- IV. ORDER OF MARCH:
 Commander and Adjutant, Honorary Staff, Infantry Wing Commander and Adjutant, Infantry Wing, Colors and Standards, Artillery Wing Commander and Adjutant, Artillery Wing
- V. COORDINATING INSTRUCTIONS:
 A. REPORT:
 1. TRANSPORTATION: VIA MOTOR COACH OR YOUR OWN CAR

- a. PLACE: AHAC Armory, HQ Faneuil Hall, Boston, MA
- b. TIME: NLT 1130 hours, 21 April 2003

2. ASSEMBLY AREA FOR PARADE:

- a. PLACE: Intersection of Massachusetts Avenue and Pleasant Street, Lexington, MA.
- b. TIME: NLT 1300 Hours, 21 April 2003

B. UNIFORM:

1. Parade Dress, black shoes & tie, with white gloves, belt and cover.
2. Service Uniform may be worn by those members entitled to wear same.

C. TRANSPORTATION:

1. Motor Coach will be provided from AHAC HQ's Armory, Faneuil Hall to the parade area (Massachusetts Avenue and Pleasant Streets) in the Town of Lexington for members participating in this parade.
2. At the conclusion of the parade, Motor Coach will provide transportation from Lexington High School Parking Lot at Worthen Rd., Lexington, back to the Armory, Faneuil Hall, Boston.
3. Those members providing their own transportation may park at the Worthen Road Parking Lot at Lexington High School, beginning at 11:45 a.m. Shuttle buses will run to the parade area beginning at 11:45 a.m.

D. COORDINATING INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Members are reminded to report to the Personnel Adjutant and Clerk or the Personnel Sergeant to receive credit for the parade.

Official:
COL Thomas E. Richter
Adjutant

By order of
COL Stuart P. Tauber
Captain Commanding

ANCIENT AND HONORABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY OF MASSACHUSETTS

JUDGE ADVOCATE'S DINNER



**Thursday, May 1, 2003
Radisson Hotel – 57 Restaurant
Boston, Massachusetts**

**LT Peter Antell, Judge Advocate
COL Stuart P. Tauber
Captain Commanding**

JUDGE ADVOCATE'S DINNER PROGRAM

*May 1, 2003
Radisson Hotel – 57 Restaurant
Boston, Massachusetts*

I. Opening Ceremonies

- A. Judge Advocate's Welcome
- B. Pledge of Allegiance
- C. Invocation – BG Robert Durkee, Chaplin
- D. Introduction of Head Table, Guest Speaker and Honoree

II. Dinner Program

- A. Serving Appetizer and Salad
- B. Introduction of Honoree J. Albert Johnson, Esquire by the LT John E. Bradley
Presentation of Judge Advocate's Recognition Award
- C. Serving Entree
- D. Introduction of Guest Speaker – A. David Mazzone, Senior Judge, United States
District Court for the District of Massachusetts by the Honorable Paul V. Buckley
- E. Desert and Coffee
- F. Close of Dinner Meeting – Benediction – COL Alvin I. Lieberman, Chaplin

Dinner Menu

Shrimp Cocktail

Hearts of Lettuce with Blue Cheese Dressing

Baked Swordfish with Lemon/Lime Butter Sauce

OR

Prime Rib of Beef Au Jus

Oven Roasted Potatoes

Vegetable Medley

Boston Cream Pie

Fresh Brewed Coffee, Tea and Decaffeinated Coffee

2002-2003 Judge Advocate's Dinner Committee

LT Peter Antell, Judge Advocate, Chairman

LT Paul M. Colella, Vice Chairman

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LT John E. Bradley

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Second: COL Thomas Richter

COMMISSARY OFFICER:

LT PAUL R. MIGNOSA

Nominator: LT John McCauley

Second: LT Paul Buckley

FIRST LIEUTENANT:

LT PAUL E. MORRILL

Nominator: CPT Robert Murphy, P.C.

Second: SGT Jeffery Morrill

QUARTERMASTER:

MAJ JOHN F. WELCH:

Nominator: CAPT Leo Lazo

Second: COL Henry Harper

SECOND LIEUTENANT:

LT JOHN E. BRADLEY

Nominator: BG William Koughan, P.C.

Second: The Honorable LT Paul Buckley

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Nominator: CPT Paul Mahoney, P.C.

Second: LT Paul Colella

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Second: SGT Gerard Kelly

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PAY MASTER:

COL JAMES R. LITTLETON

Nominator: BG William Koughan, P.C.

Second:

FINANCE COMMITTEE:

SGT CHARLES J. DEEGAN 2003-2008

Nominator: COL Charles Abdella

Second: LT Franklin Zarba

PERSONNEL ADJUTANT & CLERK:

LT CORNELIUS J. O'LEARY

Nominator: LT John Bradley

Second: SGT Stephen DaCorta

SERGEANTS 2003-2004

(Listed Alphabetically)

INFANTRY

SGT David F. Dorant

SGT Stuart A. Dudley

SGT William J Hall

SGT Frank M. Kemp

SGT Scott A. Kingsley

SGT Jeffery P. Morrill

ARTILLERY

SGT Eric J. Hall

SGT Brett P. Henry

SGT Jeffery A Kane

SGT Paul E. Morrill, Jr.

SGT James J. Nally

SGT David A. Sutherland

2003 PROPOSITIONS TO THE COMPANY RULES AND REGULATIONS WITH STANDING COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS

AMEND RULE 109e- Relative to the number of times a member can be a sponsor

Proposition: Add "This rule is suspended when the regular membership is below the authorized strength of 550."

Standing Committee recommends a "Yes" vote. The change would allow members to aggressively recruit new candidates for membership.

AMEND RULE 114a- Relative to Assessments

Proposition: After second sentence insert " This assessment shall also include the amount of \$20.00 to be applied or credited to the Military Museum and Library Committee Budget for Long Range Planning and shall be in effect for the Company years 2004, 2005, and 2006."

Standing Committee recommends a "Yes" vote. This would allow the Company to plan and take the necessary actions to protect, catalog, present and safe-guard the numerous valuable artifacts of military significance and mementos of the Ancients history and tradition. The Museum and Library contains many valuable and priceless items that need to be properly taken care of and preserved for members, citizens, scholars and future generations. This is a valuable Company asset that needs to be enhanced and treasured. The vote of the Committee on the years this would be in effect was not unanimous.

AMEND RULE 210- Relative to the number of non-commissioned officers appointed to the Quartermaster and Commissary Officers

Proposition: Appointed non-commissioned staff officers appointed by the Captain shall be Sergeant Major (who shall have had prior military service), a Quartermaster Sergeant, a Paymaster Sergeant, a Personnel Sergeant, a Medical Sergeant, two Training Sergeants, a Color Sergeant in Command and four Color Sergeants, a Sergeant Bugler, and the following Sergeants: two Flankers to the Captain, one Orderly, two Color Guards and two Guidon Bearers and up to four assistants for the Quartermaster and Commissary Officer.

Standing Committee recommends a "Yes" vote. The present Rules and Regulations do not authorize or provide for additional assistants. At certain times of the year e.g. June Day, FFDTD, there is a need to have additional assistants assigned to these Officers. The change would permit the Captain

to appoint up to four (4) assistants if requested. The assistants would wear the rank of Sergeant — three stripes.

NEW RULE 210b - Relative to Sergeants insignia rank on Parade Uniform

The rank on the Parade Uniforms shall be standard USMC "Gold on Red" insignia USA non-subdued metal pin on. On the Parade Uniform, the SGM will wear three stripes- four rockers with a star in the center (SGM); the elected 1st SGTs will wear three stripes- three rockers and a diamond in the center! 1st SGT); the Color Sergeant in Command will wear three stripes-three rockers center plain(MSGT); the remaining elected Sergeants will wear three stripes- two rockers (GSGT); all other appointed Sergeants will wear three stripes-one rocker (SSGT), and Assistants will wear three stripes (SGT).

Standing Committee recommends a "No" vote. There was a unanimous decision that the matter of rank should be referred to the Military Support Committee for study, recommendation/concurrence or modification and presented as a Rule proposition in 2004.

AMEND RULE 402- Relative to eligibility to run for elected Commissioned Office

Proposition: New Rule 402a would read: Every candidate for elected Commissioned office shall have attained the rank of elected Sergeant in order to be eligible for Commissioned office and shall file the "Candidates Certificate of Eligibility" form with the First Lieutenant and the Personnel Adjutant in accordance with the instructions thereon, such instructions to have been approved by the Standing Committee. **Standing Committee recommends a "Yes" vote.** The Committee voted unanimously that this requirement of being an elected Sergeant before becoming a candidate for Commissioned office is for the "good of the Company." The experience gained during the period of service as an elected Sergeant provides the individual an insight and understanding of Company events and organization.

Proposition: New Rule 402b: Every candidate for elected Commissioned office is required to serve on Regular and/ or Special Committees of the Company, as defined in Rule 300. Committees, Section 301, for a period of not less than three years which need not be consecutive years. **Standing Committee recommends a "Yes" vote.** The Committee feels that volunteering for Committee service is vital to understanding

the Company inner workings and such time spent serves the member well when deciding to run for a leadership position in the Company for elected Commissioned office of 2nd Lieutenant, 1st Lieutenant and Captain Commanding. The members are informed that the Committee vote was not unanimous.

AMEND RULE 600- Relative to Company ribbons and awards to be worn by members

Proposition: New Rule 604: The Company shall have a Fall Field Day Tour of Duty (FFDTD) Ribbon of Standing with appurtenances, bronze oak leaf for each FFDTD; a silver oak leaf cluster awarded after the fifth FFDTD, affixed to the basic award to indicate additional awards for subsequent tours of duty attended. All previous FFDTD ribbons issued are authorized for wear.

Standing Committee recommends a "yes" Vote. This provision would parallel that which occurs in the US Military and would ease the burden of coming up with a new award design for each and every FFDTD. Additionally, it is cost effective and sets a standard for the Company.

Proposition: New Rule 604a: Distinctive authorized decorations to this Company at the present time are:

A&HAC Medal
Centennial Medal
Long Service Medal
Color Guard Medal
JFK Inaugural Medal
A&HAC Bicentennial Medal
A&HAC 340th Anniversary Medal
A&HAC 350th Anniversary Medal
GHWB Inaugural Medal 1989
White House Visitation 1989

Standing Committee recommends a "Yes" vote This defines and clarifies authorized ribbons and awards.

Proposition: New Rule 604b: The number of A&HAC ribbons to be worn shall be limited to twelve (12).

Standing Committee recommends a "Yes" vote. This only applies to A&HAC ribbons and does not apply to military, federal or state issued ribbons or awards.

The above propositions, if passed, will require a re-numbering of the present Rule 604 to 605- there would be no other change in the existing Rule 604

AMEND RULE 112a- Relative to a Company all-weather coat

Proposition: At the end of the Rule add: Coat, all weather with liner as prescribed by US Army specifications, is authorized for wear when it is prescribed by the Captain Commanding or his authorized representative. **Standing Committee recommends a "Yes" vote.** This will establish by regulation a standard for a Company all-weather outer wear garment.

AMEND RULE 114m- Relative to appointment of Chaplains

Proposition: Would reflect the vote of the Company in May 2002 allowing for an increase in the number of Chaplains from "two" to three.

AMEND RULE 313f- Relative to eligibility for reduction of fees for FFDTD Proposition: Would increase the number of Chaplains eligible from "two" to three-

Standing Committee recommends a "Yes" vote. These changes would be consistent with the action of the members approving three Chaplains in May 2002.

AMEND RULE 104b- Relative to when Life Members are assessed an annual assessment

Proposition: Would specify that when there are fewer than 550 Regular Members as of March 31st of any year.

Standing Committee recommends a "Yes" vote. This is to correct Rule 104b.

AMEND RULE 301-Relative to Company Committees

Proposition: Would establish (10) Protocol Committee

Standing Committee recommends a "yes" vote. The Committee is of the opinion that this is an important functioning committee to have a working group of members to make the proper arrangements, protocols, greetings customs that are a part of Company events such as the FFDTD, parades, Presidents Day, June Day etc. This Committee would be charged with the responsibility to assure that the Company's Military stature is complimentary and supported by the Company's Military Support Committee.

NEW RULE 320- Relative to Protocol Committee

Proposition would set forth:

320a. The Protocol Committee, consisting of twenty-one (21) members shall be appointed by the Captain. Not less than seven (7) shall have served on the Protocol Committee for the year immediately preceding. The Captain shall select from the twenty-one (21) members a Chair, a Vice Chair and a Secretary.

320b. Term of office of the members shall be one year and expire on the first Monday in June.

320c. The Protocol Committee shall meet not less than once every three months.

320d. The Secretary shall call a meeting of the Committee at the direction of the Chair or upon written request of any four members of the Committee. Notice of any such meeting shall be given at least seven (7) days prior to said meeting.

320e. It shall be the duty of the Chair to preside at all meetings of the Committee and in the absence of the Chair, the Vice Chair will preside.

320f. Seven (7) members of the Committee shall constitute a quorum.

320g. Functions and duties of the Committee will be described in SOP 35.0.

320h. The Protocol Committee shall, at the conclusion of its duties, make a written report to the Company. The Committee shall make its final written report during the term of office of the Captain appointing said Committee.

320i. The Committee report shall be read upon the records of the Company.

320j. The following staff officers will be ex-officio members of the Committee in addition to the required members, the Captain Commanding and the Company Adjutant. **Standing Committee recommends a "No" vote.** The Committee feels that the Captain Commanding for the year 2003-2004 should appoint a three member Committee to develop a mission statement, SOP and organization structure for the Protocol Committee and submit a written report to the Standing Committee

in February 2004. The members are advised that the Committee recommendation was not unanimous.

AMEND RULE 309j- Relative to Finance Committee reports

AMEND RULE 310j- Relative to Military Museum and Library Committee reports

Proposition: Add to each Rule “At the beginning of each fiscal quarter, to run concurrent with the fiscal quarters of the Permanent Fund i.e. quarters ending May 31, August 31, November 30 and February 28/29 respectively, the Committee shall provide the Company with a written report regarding meetings held by the Committee during the preceding fiscal quarter. **Standing Committee recommends a “No” vote.** These Committee reports are available and are on file with the Executive Secretary.

AMEND RULE 904- Relative to Standing Committee recommendations on propositions to Rules and Regulations

Proposition: Change to read “The Standing Committee considers each proposition and mails to each member at least two weeks prior to the First May Meeting its recommendations and reasons on each proposition and the recommendation and reasons on each proposition by the proponent of each proposition.

Standing Committee recommends a “No” vote. The Committee is required to hold a hearing on propositions where proponents and opponents are encouraged to attend and present their opinions, reasons and amendments to propositions.

AMEND RULE 905- Relative to time for members to express opinions on propositions to Rules and Regulations

Proposition: Change to read: “Time is allocated at one of the meetings, prior to the voting meeting, for members to express opinions on the propositions. This meeting shall not be the same meeting as Nomination of Candidates.

Standing Committee recommends a “No” vote. The Committee feels that the hearing held for proponents and opponents to speak on propositions satisfies the intent and purpose presented to amend Rule 905.

AMEND RULE 909- Relative to content, updating, publishing and distributing Company Rules and Regulations

Proposition: Change to read “Every five years, years ending in 5 and 0, the Captain taking command that year shall appoint a three member

committee, chaired by the Clerk of the Company, to incorporate all the changes approved by the members into the Rules and Regulations. This shall include Section M “Officers Manual”; Section R “Uniform Regulations”; Section S “Uniform Specifications. The new booklet will be printed in enough quantity to mail one to each current regular member and to be able to give one to each new regular member during his training. Said mailing shall be completed by the end of August of that year. **Standing Committee recommends a “Yes” vote.** The Committee feels that this amendment correctly explains and informs the members on notification of approved changes and contents of the Rules and Regulations.

By: COL Stuart P. Tauber
Captain Commanding

Date: April 2003

Bring this with you on 5 May and on 12 May — to be informed and to vote!!!!!!

Remember this is your Company and your participation is the responsibility of each and every member

VOTING RESULTS
2003 Rules and Regulations
May 12, 2003
Propositions

#1 Amend Rule 109e Number of times a member can be a sponsor is suspended when the Company membership is below 550.

YES 282 NO 97

#2 Amend Rule 114a The Annual Assessment will include \$20.00 to be credited to Military Museum and Library Committee for long range planning. Said assessment to be in effect for the years 2004, 2005 and 2006.

YES 257 NO 117

#3 Amend Rule 210 Add up to four assistants to the Quartermaster and to the Commissary Officer. Said assistants would wear the rank of Sergeant — Three stripes

YES 287 NO 82

#4 New Rule 210b Codify the Sergeants rank to be worn on Parade Uniforms to be in conformance with US military specifications.

YES 141 NO 227

#5 New Rule 402a A candidate for elected Commissioned office shall have served as an elected Sergeant.

YES 163 NO 223

#6 New Rule 402b A candidate for elected Commissioned office shall have served on Regular and/or Special Committees) of the Company for a period of not less than three years.

YES 125 NO 266

#7 New Rule 604 Specifications for a Company standard Fall Field Day Tour Of Duty award/ribbon to be compatible with US military code.

YES 294 NO 78

#8 New Rule 604a Specifying the Company authorized decorations.

YES 304 NO 64

#9 New Rule 604b Number of A&HAC ribbons/awards that can be worn is limited to 12.

YES 287 NO 89

#10 Amend Rule 112a Specifying that a Company outer all weather coat meet US Army specification and can only be worn when authorized by the Captain.

YES 321 NO 65

#11 Amend Rule 114m Increasing the number of Company Chaplains from two to three.

YES 296 NO 87

#12 Amend Rule 313f Chaplain eligibility for reduction of fees for FFDTD is increased from two to three.

YES 257 NO 123

#13 Amend Rule 104b Life Member would be assessed an annual assessment when Company membership is below 550.

YES 225 NO 158

#14 Amend Rule 301 A Protocol Committee is established as the 10th Company Committee.

YES 278 NO 94

#15 New Rule 320(a to j) Protocol Committee membership, duties, term of office, meetings, ex-officio members, and reporting would be prescribed in the regulation.

YES 143 NO 226

#16 Amend Rule 309j Finance Committee reporting would be on a quarterly basis.

YES 140 NO 233

#17 Amend Rule 310j Military Museum and Library Committee reporting would be on a quarterly basis.

YES 117 Nov 257

#18 Amend Rule 904 Standing Committee recommendations on rule propositions would be sent to members two weeks before 1st May meeting rather than one week.

YES 96 NO 264

#19 Amend Rule 905 Additional meeting for members to express opinions on rule and regulation propositions.

YES 90 NO 282

#20 Amend Rule 909 Company Rules and Regulations would be updated and distributed to the members every five years.

YES 319 NO 62

TRIPE DINNER 20 MAY, 2003

About 80 guests gathered at the beautiful Casa di Fior in Wilmington, MA, for the annual "Tripe Dinner" hosted by the Captain Commanding, COL Stuart P. Tauber. Those in attendance were the officers, staff and individuals who were very helpful to the Company and the Captain during the past command year.

The custom of this "Tripe Dinner" probably began in the twentieth century and has become an annual event since the late 1950's. It is the Captain's opportunity to thank those in the Company for their service while he was in command.

As has been the custom, tripe was a featured dish. It was prepared by the staff of the "Casa," which is owned by fellow Ancient, LT Alfred Fiorenza. In the past, the tripe was prepared in the old New England fashion, which is fried; however, in recent years it has been served in the Italian style. Either way, it is usually received with mixed reviews.

The full menu for the evening started with a cocktail hour and open bar with Swedish meatballs, scallops in bacon, crabmeat stuffed mushrooms and roasted vegetables. Dinner started with a mixed green salad followed by roast prime rib of beef, potato and vegetables. The Tripe course was next. Last, but not least, dessert was Oreo ice cream pie drizzled with hot fudge. Wine was served with the dinner.

Following the dinner, the evening concluded with COL Tauber thanking all present for contributing to a successful year. Special thanks were given to a great group of hard working Sergeants. The Lieutenants were presented with engraved Jefferson Cups. Chief of Staff, LT COL Martin De Matteo P.C., BGEN Joseph Milano P.C. and the Company Adjutant, COL Thomas Richter were presented with engraved Patrick Henry Cups.

The Company then presented COL Tauber with a beautiful cavalry sabre and scabbard and a scale model replica of an M1-A1 Abrams Tank. The tank was mounted on a wooden stand with an engraved plate from his staff. These were very sentimental gifts that marked COL Tauber's military service as a cavalry and armor officer in the Army. The evening was enjoyed by all.

MEMORIAL DAY, 26 MAY 2003

The A&HAC Color Guard participated in the parade and ceremonies in Nahant. Under conditions more suitable for ducks and polar bears than for marchers, Sgts. Gerard Kelly, Jim Clements, Domenic Previte, Winston Watson, Peter Lou, John Quinci and Steve Banis maintained dignity and order as they presented the colors at the Nahant cemetery. Afterwards, they enjoyed the collation provided by the Marty Henry Family at their residence.

*Respectfully
Submitted
Gerard Kelly
MSG Color Guard*

**MOUNT FEAKE CEMETERY ANNUAL PRESENTATION
WALTHAM, MA
MAY 30, 2003****HEADQUARTERS
ANCIENT AND HONORABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY
OF MASSACHUSETTS**

First Lieutenant William J. O'Brien, accompanied by Lieutenant Paul Morrill, performed the ceremony required by the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company to honor Major George Maynard, the first AHAC recipient of the Congressional Medal of Honor. This was the first such award to an Ancient for the battle of Antietam. Lieutenant Joe Howard delivered the flowers during the May Memorial.

Submitted by: William J. O'Brien

Ancient and Honorable
Artillery Company
of Massachusetts

2002



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COL Stuart P. Tauber,
Captain Commanding, AHAC;
Distinguished Past Commanding;
Commissioned Staff; Non-Commissioned
Staff; Fellow Ancients.

AHAC PARTICIPATION IN U.S. Navy
PURPLE HEART AWARDS CEREMONY
ON-BOARD THE U.S.S. SALEM (CA 139),
QUINCY, MASS. 8 JUNE 2002.

On 8 June 2002 at 10:AM, a delegation of members and the Color Guard represented the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts at Commemorative Event Honoring the U.S. S. Eagle (PE56) Officers and Crewman killed and wounded when the ship was sunk on 23 April 1945.

The awards ceremony culminated a long period of investigation which began in March 1998 and resulted in the U.S. Navy changing the reported cause of the U.S.S. Eagle's sinking from and "internal boiler accident", to a disclosure that the ship was actually sunk by a German Submarine, the U-853, off the coast of Maine. Because of this action, the survivors and relatives of the 49 crewmen were awarded a much delayed PURPLE HEART MEDAL. It also changed history since the U.S.S. Eagle was and is the last U.S. Navy ship sunk in the Atlantic War Theatre because of enemy action. Brockton Attorney Paul Lawton was the person behind the investigation and righted the wrong.

AHAC member, Captain Thomas G. Kelley, U.S. Navy (Ret.) CMH, was the presenter of Purple Heart Medals to the living survivors and relatives of the deceased crewmembers.

Public officials attending included: U.S. Representative Stephen Lynch; Quincy Mayor Francis Phelan; Brockton Mayor John Yunits; and retired Probate Judge James Lawton. Also attending were U.S. Navy and U.S. Coast Guard officers; the 2nd Marine Division Marine Corps League; State Veterans organizations; and the Gold Star Wives.

AHAC members participating in uniform were CAPT Edmund J. Rainsford, MAJ Paul T. Modestino, LT Michael Fish, PO Charles Fallon, and James Nally. The AHAC Color Guard led by LT Paul M. Colella included - SSGT Steve Banis, SGT Leo LeBlanc, SGT James P. Clements and SGT Dominic Previte. In the audience was SFC Robert D. Hall, Jr.

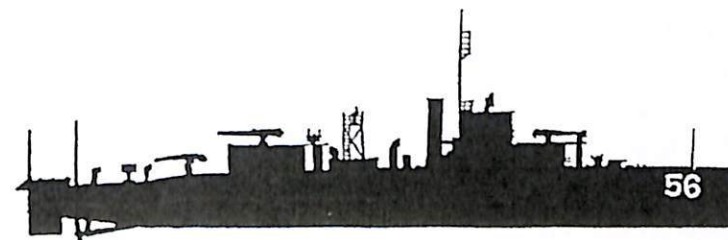
A copy of the ceremony program is attached. The event will be shown in the near future on the TV HISTORY CHANNEL.

Respectfully,

Captain Edmund J. Rainsford

The oldest CHARTERED military organization in the Western Hemisphere;
and the third oldest in the world.

U.S.S. EAGLE 56 (PE-56) PURPLE HEART AWARDS & MEMORIAL CEREMONY



COMMEMORATING THE U.S. NAVY
OFFICERS & CREWMEN KILLED AND
WOUNDED ABOARD THE U.S.S. EAGLE 56
(PE-56) ON 23 APRIL 1945.

THE PE-56 WAS THE LAST U.S. NAVY WARSHIP
SUNK IN COMBAT IN AMERICAN CONTINENTAL
WATERS DURING WORLD WAR II. SHE WAS
TORPEDOED & SUNK BY THE GERMAN U-BOAT
U-853, WITH THE LOSS OF FORTY-NINE
OFFICERS & CREWMEN, CONSTITUTING THE
GREATEST LOSS OF U.S. NAVAL PERSONNEL IN
NEW ENGLAND WATERS DURING THE WAR.

SATURDAY, THE 8TH OF JUNE 2002 FROM 10:00 TO
11:00 AM, ABOARD THE U.S. NAVY SHIPBUILDING
MUSEUM: U.S.S. SALEM (CA-139) AT THE FORE RIVER
SHIPYARD, QUINCY, MASSACHUSETTS

U.S.S. EAGLE 56 (PE-56) Purple Heart Awards & Memorial Ceremony Proceedings:

Introduction

James Fahey, U.S.C.G. (Ret.)
Archivist & Curator: U.S. Navy Shipbuilding Museum

Playing of the National Anthem

Trumpeter: Vincent Macrina

Posting of the Colors

Invocation

Fr. Charles J. McCoy, U.S.N. Chaplain

Opening Statement & Historical Background

Paul Lawton, Naval Historian

Presentation of Purple Heart Medals

Thomas Kelley
State Commissioner of Veterans' Services
Medal of Honor & Purple Heart Recipient

Reading of Roll-Call of PE-56 Casualties (w/ tolling of ship's bell)

PE-56 Survivors: Lt. John Scagnelli, John Breeze & Harold Petersen

Reading of Roll-Call of PE-56 Survivors, Since Deceased

PE-56 Survivors: Lt. John Scagnelli, John Breeze & Harold Petersen

Laying of Wreath

2nd Marine Corps Div. Assoc. &
Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company Color Guards

21 Gun Salute

U.S. 2nd Marine Corps Division Association: Color Guard

Playing of Taps

Trumpeter: Vincent Macrina

Moment of Silence

Benediction

Fr. Charles J. McCoy, U.S.N. Chaplain

Retiring of the Colors

U.S.S. EAGLE 56 (PE-56) CASUALTIES

23 APRIL 1945

Asterisk (*) indicates survivors or families of casualties
located & expected to be in attendance

OFFICERS & ENLISTED MEN KILLED

(Officers)

Lt. James G. Early (Commander)
Lt. (jg) John R. Laubach*
Lt. (jg) Ambrose G. Vanderheiden*
Ens. Seth E. Chapin
Ens. Roy F. Swan*

(Enlisted Men)

John Joseph Alexander, F2C*
James Orval Brown, CGM
Robert Gurnett Coleman, SC3C*
Percy Collins, StM2C
James Oliver Cunningham, S1C
Robert Lee Davies, SoM2C
Joseph Patrick Gegan, CM3C
Harold Samuel Glenn, MM1C*
Walter Wrenn Goe, MM2C
John Rodrigues Gonzales, WT2C
Arthur Albert Grosch, Cox*
William Lloyd Harden, CPhM
James Paul Johnson, PhM1C*
Norris Wilbur Jones, F1C
Robert Velgene Kessler, S2C
Paul Jaron Knapp, S2C
Joseph Andrew Lydon, RM2C
Maurice Joseph Manning, WT3C
Edwin Frederick Mathys, CMM
Joseph Howard McKenzie, MM3C
John Charles Merk, EM2C
Frederick Michelsen, MM1C*
Willie B. Morgan, CBM
George William Neugen, MM1C
Zug Chesley Phelps, SM1C
Christopher Columbus Phillips, StM3C
Jasper Davis Pulley, S1C

Virgil Quinn, Jr. SC2C
Harold Ralph Rodman, Y1C*
Achibald Ronald, S2C
George Sabatino, S2C
Edwin Joseph Schneider, RM3C
Joseph Frederick Setzer, RM2C
Elliott Massey Shinn, QM2C
James Hutchnes Smith, StM2C
Nathan Cheney Stafford, F1C*
Leonard Jozef Surowiec, F1C
James Francis Talle, S2C
Raymond Robert Wallace, S2C*
Henry Louis Wengert, S2C
Ivar Adolph Westerlund, S2C*
Ellis Elmer Whitcomb, S2C
Ralph William Woods, MM2C
Earle E. Young, MM2C

SURVIVING OFFICER & ENLISTED MEN

(Officer)

Lt. (jg) John P. Scagnelli (Engineer)*

(Enlisted Men)

John L. Breeze, MM2C*
Oscar F. Davis, MM3C*
Lawrence L. Edwards, GM3C
Cletus J. Frane, MM3C
John A. Happoldt, S2C
Daniel E. Jaronik, S1C
Edward G. Lockhart, MM1C
John E. Luttrell, S1C*
Harold H. Petersen, MM1C*
Joseph C. Priestas, WT2C
William A. Thompson, F1C
John A. Wisniewski, RdM3C

CORRECTION OF NAVAL HISTORY

In March of 1998 the Attorney and Naval Historian Paul Lawton met with friends, Brockton, Massachusetts firemen Bob and Paul Westerlund and discussed the mysterious circumstances surrounding the sinking of the U.S.S. Eagle 56, and the death of their father, Seaman 2nd Class, Ivar A. Westerlund. That meeting led to more than a three year long search for survivors, witnesses, German and U.S. Navy records and other evidence to establish the true cause of the loss of the PE-56 on 23 April 1945.

In July of 2000 the author and a group of dedicated volunteers organized and conducted a side-scan sonar search for the long lost wreck of the PE-56 off the coast of Cape Elizabeth, Maine. In the September of 2000, the late Massachusetts Congressman John Joseph "Joe" Moakley (1927 to Memorial Day 28 May 2001), petitioned the Secretary of the U.S. Navy (SECNAV), for an investigation into the loss of the PE-56. Former SECNAV Admiral Richard Danzig, assigned the case back to the U.S. Navy Judge Advocate General (JAG), who declined to re-open the Court of Inquiry. The SECNAV and JAG then referred the matter to the U.S. Navy Historical Center at Washington, DC, where former Deputy Director of Naval History, Captain Marshall A. Hall, assigned the case for review by a team of their best archivists and researchers headed by Senior Archivist, Bernard Cavalcante.

After reviewing all of the evidence regarding this incident, in May of 2001 the Director of Naval History Dr. William S. Dudley, made formal Recommendation to Chief of Naval Operations (CNO) Admiral Vernon E. Clark, and subsequently to then recently appointed SECNAV, Gordon England, that the official record regarding the loss of the U.S.S. Eagle 56, be changed to "enemy action."

On 26 June 2001 Secretary England signed that Recommendation, and the U.S. Navy officially changed the cause for the loss of the PE-56, to enemy action by the German U-boat, U-853, fifty-six years after the fact. In a formal ceremony at the U.S. Navy Shipbuilding Museum aboard the U.S.S. Salem (CA-139) in Quincy, Massachusetts, on Saturday, the 8th of June 2002, the U.S. Navy awarded Purple Heart Medals to the casualties of the U.S.S. Eagle 56.

5, August, 2002

Col. Stuart P. Tauber
Captain Commanding
A.H.A.C. of Massachusetts
390 High Street
Westwood, MA 02090

Dear Captain Tauber:

At your request, MGEN ^{Edward} Langley and I attended the U.S. Coast Guard Change of Command Ceremony on 18, June, 2002 at 1000 Hours.

We were welcomed and given full Military courtesy and recognition, as representatives of The Ancient And Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts under your Command.

I have enclosed a copy of the Formal Military Protocol Procedure at the U.S. Coast Guard Base, Boston, Mass.

We were honored to represent you and The Company at this ceremony.

Respectfully Submitted,

MGEN Edward J. Langley

Edward A. Zullo LTC Ret.
LTC Edward A. Zullo

Encl.

THE CHANGE OF COMMAND CEREMONY

The Change of Command Ceremony is a time-honored product of the rich heritage of the sea services. The ceremony is a sea service custom without an equivalent counterpart in the Army or Air Force. Custom has established that this ceremony be formal and impressive, designed to strengthen the respect for authority which is vital to any military organization. Parading all hands at quarters and the public reading of official orders stems from those days when movement of mail and persons was a very slow process.

The procedure was designed to ensure that only duly authorized officers held command and that all aboard were aware of an order's authenticity.

The heart of the ceremony is the formal reading of official orders by the relieving officer and the officer to be relieved. Command passes upon utterance by the relieving officer, "I relieve you, Sir!" to which the officer being relieved responds, "I stand relieved!" This simple procedure is duplicated hundreds of times daily throughout the coast guards and navies of the world as each watch officer passes responsibility to his or her relief in the conduct of the unit's routine.

The strength and success of today's Coast Guard stems in large measure from the observance of customs and traditions, each founded on need, each contributing its share to stability, mission effectiveness, and the smooth transfer of authority. This simple ceremony, passing authority and responsibility to yet another fine officer, reflects the dedication of free men and women serving their nation.

THE CEREMONY

ARRIVAL OF THE OFFICIAL PARTY*

HONORS*

PRESENTATION OF COLORS AND THE NATIONAL ANTHEM*

INVOCATION*

CDR Timothy J. Demy, CHC, USN

INSPECTION OF INTEGRATED SUPPORT COMMAND BOSTON PERSONNEL

REMARKS

RADM Dale G. Gabel, USCG
Commander, Maintenance and Logistics Command Atlantic

REMARKS AND READING OF ORDERS

CAPT Surran D. Dilks, USCG, Commanding

READING OF ORDERS

CAPT Theodore P. Montgomery, USCG, Relieving

CHANGE OF COMMAND

REMARKS

CAPT Theodore P. Montgomery, USCG

BENEDICTION*

CDR Timothy J. Demy, CHC, USN

RETIRING OF COLORS*

OFFICIAL PARTY DEPARTS*

DATE: July 17, 2002

TO: AHAC, Captain Stu Tauber, LT George M. Morrison

SUBJECT: London visit to the Honourable Artillery Company July 13 thru July 16, 2002.

Lt. George M. Morrison, Lt. Paul Morrill and Sgt. Chris Peatridge traveled to London England representing the Ancient & Honorable Artillery Co. of Boston for a celebration and Fund Raising Reception at Armoury House in London for Elizabeth Turner & the HAC 2003 visit.

Saturday - July 13

All three departed from Logan Airport via British Airlines and arrived safely on Sunday morning July 14th.

Sunday - July 14

We were greeted by HAC member Gary Timmons and our driver, Private Mike. After a 45 minute drive we arrived at Armoury House, headquarters of the Honourable Artillery Company. We were shown to our quarters where we unpacked and prepared for the balance of the day's activities. Shortly thereafter we took a short walk to the Artillery Arms Pub where we had some refreshments and met with Sgt. Rick and Sgt. Major Steve Ashley. We rejoined our driver and were off to the Tower of London for a tour of the grounds and the museum.

We returned to Armoury House at approx. 5:00 PM to freshen up and then were off to an evening of fine dining at the exclusive Oxford and Cambridge Club. We were the guest of Mr. Hugo Jee, an HAC member who treated us to a wonderful dinner, a tour of this facilities and a final night-cap prior to returning to Armoury House for some much needed rest.

Monday - July 15

At 7:00 AM we were all present for breakfast at Armoury House and at 9:00 AM we departed with Sgt. Major Ashley for a visit to Wellington Barracks for a private tour of the Museum. We witnessed the ceremony for the

Changing of the Guard for Buckingham Palace and met several members attached to the Wellington Barracks Command.

At 12:00 noon we were back at Armoury House where we were met by Col. Marc Vincent, Commander of the HAC, Major Basil Bicknell and Sgt. Graham Howell. We enjoyed luncheon amid good conversation. After lunch we traveled to the American Embassy for a visit with the Defense Attaché, Capt. David Wirt. This was an unscheduled stop and, as it turned out, Capt. Wirt was called into a meeting and was not available. We made telephone contact and would follow up at a later date.

We returned to Armoury House and prepared for the highlight of the trip, the celebration for Elizabeth & William Turner and the honoring of Simon Turner who died in the Twin Tower terrorists' attacks last September.

The evening started at 6:00 PM with cocktails. Promptly at 6:45 PM introductions were made by the Master of Ceremonies, Alistair Bassett Cross. The guest speaker was introduced, General Sir Alex Harley. His speech included remarks about the role AHAC has played in the fund-raising efforts for Elizabeth & William Turner. He made reference to the recent visit to Boston by the HAC in April and how well they were received and he commented on how all the plans are coming together for the 100th Anniversary visit to Boston in June 2003. He ended by introducing each AHAC member present.

After dinner and drinks, which was held in a large tent on the grounds of Armoury House, we adjourned to the parade grounds for entertainment, including the Pipe & Muster Brigade, Their Marching Band and a demonstration by the active Military Unit. Upon conclusion, Sgt. Major Steve Ashley made several comments, once again introduced all AHAC present and ended with the presentation of a check to Elizabeth Turner in the amount of \$70,000.

Elizabeth Turner made several comments and included her personal thanks to the AHAC for the outstanding treatment she received during her visit in April and the attention received since that time.

The formal part of the evening concluded with a drawing for a free trip which was part of the fundraiser for the planned trip in June to Boston. We adjourned to the Armory House Pub for a nightcap and good conversation.

Tuesday, July 16

An early breakfast at 6:30 AM and then we departed to the airport for our return flight to Boston. We arrived safely in Boston at approx. 1:15 PM and concluded our visit.

NOTES: We were very well received in London and I know I speak for Lt Morrill & Sgt. Peatridge when I tell you we were proud to represent the Ancient & Honorable Artillery Company at this event. I would like to add my personal thanks to Lt Paul Morrill and Sgt. Chris Peatridge for taking their personal time and personal monies to represent each of you. Well done.

Respectfully



LT George M. Morrison

USS CONSTITUTION BOSTON TURNAROUND CRUISE 20 JULY 2002

COL Stuart Tauber, Captain Commanding, and AHAC members and guests were invited by the USS Constitution's Captain, Commander Randall Neal, to be on board as "Old Ironsides" was taken from its berth in Charlestown, MA out into Boston Harbor. There were about 300 invited guests on board for this turnaround. The ship was assisted by two tugs. A number of Boston Police, MASS State Police and Coast Guard vessels accompanied the USS Constitution in order to provide security.

Before leaving the berth in Charlestown, a brief ceremony that included the singing of the National Anthem, The Star Spangled Banner; the recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag; an Invocation and a welcome aboard from the Constitution's Captain Commander Neal, and invitation of those on board to tour the ship during the turnaround. Once underway, a short history of the USS Constitution was presented and was followed by a reading of Oliver Wendell Holmes poem "Old Ironsides."

The ship traveled out beyond Logan Airport turned, and as it approached Castle Island and Fort Independence, Commander Neal ordered a twenty-one-gun salute to the United States of America. As the ship traveled into the inner harbor, a Boston Fire Department fireboat rendered a salute with water cannons. As we came abreast of downtown Boston, Commander Neal ordered a nineteen-gun salute to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the City of Boston.

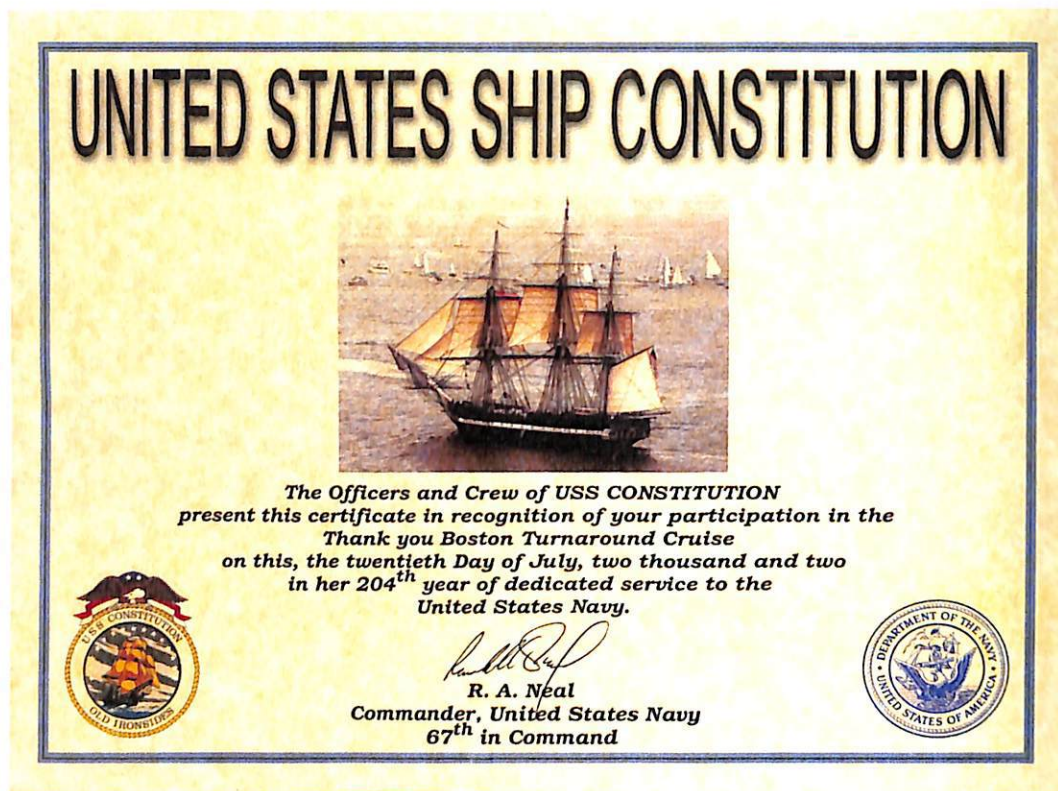
After tying up "Old Ironsides" in Charlestown, there was a Benediction that concluded a festive and historic event.

A commemorative certificate was presented to each guest in recognition of participating in the "Thank you Boston Turnaround Cruise."

Members attending:

LT Peter Antell
 CPT Robert Brady, Sr.
 COL Ernest C. Caggiano, P.C.
 BG Robert Durkee
 LTC James Littleton
 CPT Richard Richard A. Luccio,
 BG Joseph A. Milano, P.C.
 PC COL John A. Moore, P.C.
 LT Paul E. Morrill

LT George M. Morrison
 LT John Moynihan
 1st LT William J. O'Brien
 LT Cornelius J. O'Leary
 COL Thomas Richter
 LT Jerome V. Sweeney
 LT Joseph Tamulis
 LT Richard Tedeschi



COMMISSIONING OF THE U.S.S. PREBLE (DDG88)

Saturday, November 9, 2002

The Ancient & Honorable Company of Massachusetts was honored to receive an invitation to attend the commissioning ceremony and all of the related activities of the newly christened U.S.S. Preble (DDG88). The U.S.S. Preble is an AEGIS Guided Missile Destroyer and its commanding officer will be Commander Timothy A. Batzler, USN, upon this commissioning. The new ship is named to honor Commodore Edward Preble, USN (1761-1807), hero at the Tripolitan War. Five previous ships have borne the name Preble.

The Company hosted two events over this weekend. On Saturday, 9 November, There was an Open House in our armory headquarters for the crew of the Preble. Catered hors' d'oeuvres and beverages were served. Many of the ship's crew stopped in to see our impressive museum while on their way to explore Boston. Our Captain Commanding hosted a dinner for CDR Batzler at The Union Oyster House, which is owned by our member and past captain, BGEN Joseph Milano. The dinner, by invitation, was attended by COL Tauber and his wife Jackie, and selected members of the staff and command group. Among those attending were: Company Adjutant, COL Thomas E. Richter and his wife, Svetlana, 1LT William J. O'Brien, 2LT Daniel J. May, LT George Morrison, LTC James Littleton, CPT Albert Mundo, and CDR Robert H. Gillen, USN (Ret).

Two events took place by special invitation from The U.S.S. Preble. These were a reception at Anthony's Pier Four on Friday evening, 8 November and the Platform Briefing Breakfast on Saturday, 9 November. The attendees were the same as those present at The Union Oyster House dinner on Saturday evening. The entire Company was invited to all of the other events of the weekend. Many attended and were duly impressed. It should be noted that all the coordination's for the weekend were done by our own member, CDR Robert H. Gillen, USN (Ret). Bob was a past commander of The U.S.S. Constitution.



PROSPECTIVE COMMANDING OFFICER
PREBLE (DDG 88)

8 September 2002

Dear Colonel Tauber,

Thank you for your kind offer of a special post-commissioning party for the crew of PREBLE at your armory in Faneuil Hall. As I have been talking to Bob Gillen, we have already placed it on the schedule and informed the crew. I will maintain contact with CDR Gillen to finalize plans.

Again, we appreciate the involvement and generosity of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts and look forward to a long relationship.

Sincerely,

T. A. BATZLER
Commander, U.S. Navy



PROSPECTIVE COMMANDING OFFICER
PREBLE (DDG 88)

16 October 2002

Friend of PREBLE
c/o CDR Robert L. Gillen
1 Wallace Court
Charlestown, MA 02129-3407

Dear Friend of PREBLE,

The Commanding Officer, Officers and Crew of PREBLE (DDG 88) would be honored to have you attend our commissioning ceremony on Saturday, November 9, 2002, at Anthony's Pier 4, Boston, Massachusetts. USS PREBLE (DDG 88) will be homeported in San Diego, California.

The new ship is named to honor Commodore Edward Preble, USN (1761-1807), hero of the Tripolitan War. Five previous ships have borne the name PREBLE.

PREBLE was christened June 9, 2001 in Pascagoula, Mississippi at Northrop Grumman Ship Systems, Ingalls Operations. PREBLE's Ship Sponsor is Mrs. Connie Rae Clark, wife of Admiral Vernon E. Clark, Chief of Naval Operations. During the commissioning ceremony, Mrs. Clark will give the traditional order to "man our ship and bring her to life".

Commissioning activities begin Friday evening with the Commanding Officer's Reception for our distinguished guests from 7:00-9:00 p.m. at Anthony's Restaurant Pier 4. Saturday's activities begin at 8:00 a.m. with a Platform Briefing at Anthony's Restaurant Pier 4. Please arrive no later than 9:00. The official commissioning ceremony will commence at 10:00. Immediately following the ceremony there will be a post reception at the World Trade Center that will continue until 1:00.

Maps, additional information, and an RSVP card are enclosed. Please contact Joe Hanna or Sherry Boman, my points of contact, if you have additional questions. They can be reached at (228) 769-4419 or DSN 457-4419. For security reasons please make sure that you have tickets with you at all events.

Sincerely,

T. A. BATZLER
Commander, U. S. Navy

Enclosures

OFFICIAL GUEST TICKET

COMMISSIONING

USS PREBLE (DDG 88)

Ceremony commences at 10:00 a.m.

on Saturday, November 9, 2002.

Please present this card for seating.

RSVP NOTICE

If you would like to receive guest tickets for the commissioning ceremony, please return the enclosed yellow RSVP card as soon as possible. Include yourself and any children attending, in the number of tickets that you request.

Guest tickets and information will be mailed through October 25th as RSVPs are received. If you have questions concerning the commissioning ceremony, please call (228)769-4582.



Commander Timothy A. Batzler, USN
will assume command of
USS PREBLE (DDG 88)

AEGIS Guided Missile Destroyer
USS PREBLE (DDG 88)
is assigned to
Destroyer Squadron ONE
and will be homeported in
San Diego, California.
The ship's mailing address will be:
USS PREBLE (DDG 88)
FPO AP 96675-1303



REPORT OF MILITARY LECTURE 14 NOVEMBER, 2002

On 14 November 2002, over 100 Ancients and their guest gathered in Faneuil Hall to hear Pulitzer Prize winning author Rick Atkinson discuss his new book *An Army at Dawn*. The evening began with a collation prepared by our commissary officer and his staff.

Our Captain Commanding Colonel Stuart P. Tauber then introduced LTG Theodore G. Stroup Jr. USA (ret.) who gave us background information on the author and introduced him to the group. Mr. Atkinson is a former assistant managing editor of *The Washington Post*, author of *The Long Gray Line* and *The Crusaders*. His latest work, *An Army at Dawn*, deals with the Allied invasion and campaign in North Africa. This is the first in a trilogy covering the liberation of Europe. Future books will cover the history of the war in Italy and the war in Western Europe.

Mr. Atkinson's remarks gave us an interesting insight into the preparations and conduct of the North African invasion and campaign. His book covers both the military and political problems that faced the commanders in their quest for victory. He held the attention of all present throughout his talk. A spirited question and answer period followed.

At the conclusion of the evening many present purchased copies of his book, which Mr. Atkinson gladly signed.

Respectively submitted,

Frank LaBollita
Brigadier General (MA)
Event Chairman

**REPORT OF THE ROYAL VISIT TO LONDON, ENGLAND,
DECEMBER 11, 2002****December 16, 2002**

An invitation received from the President and Court of Assistants of The Honourable Artillery Company of London England was received by The Ancient & Honorable Artillery Company of Boston to attend a luncheon and Royal visit by Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II and the Captain-General of the Honourable Artillery Company of London.

On December 9, 2002, Captain Stuart Tauber and Lt. George M. Morrison departed Logan Airport via British Airlines for a direct flight to London England. Arrived late morning of Dec. 10th and checked into The Royal Air Force Club for the duration of their stay in London.

That evening they were met by Lt Col Stuart Watts of the HAC and enjoyed an evening together with beverages and dinner at a local Italian Restaurant.

The following morning, after breakfast, they traveled to Armoury House where they were greeted at the Marquee (which is a huge tent on the grounds of Armoury House), and attended a reception for over 1100 guests. At 12:00 noon a small group was invited to Armory House and into the Long Room where a second reception took place awaiting the arrival of Her Majesty.

At 1:00 PM Her Majesty arrived and personally greeted a small select group of those at this reception. Captain Stuart Tauber and Lt. George M. Morrison were introduced to the Queen by General Sir Alex Harley, President of the HAC. During our discussion we were surprised as the Queen made reference to the upcoming visit to Boston that will be taking place this coming June for the 100th. Anniversary of the HAC first visit to the AHAC and Boston in 1903. It was an exciting visit and we were proud to be present representing the AHAC.

Also, at this time Her Majesty was presented to the artist who recently completed a large portrait of Her Majesty, now hanging in Armoury House.

Shortly thereafter, we returned to the Marquee where lunch was served. Captain Tauber and Lt Morrison were honored guests and were seated at a table adjacent to the Queens table. The luncheon was approximately 2 hours in length. The band played, speeches were made, awards were presented, good conversation took place and all enjoyed a wonderful celebration.

At approximately 4:00 PM, the Queen retired and Captain Tauber and Lt Morrison returned to Armory House where we had an opportunity to greet old friends and make new ones in a relaxed social gathering.

That evening Captain Tauber and Lt Morrison dined at The Cavalry & Guards Club and retired at 10:00 PM.

The following day, December 12th, breakfast, local shopping and packing for our return trip were the activities of the day. We departed Heathrow Airport & returned home to Boston's Logan Airport.

It was a very special trip with the opportunity of meeting with Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

Respectfully submitted:



LT GEORGE M. MORRISON, AHAC



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28 November 2002

Those attending the reception in the Long Room

I hope by now you will have received your tickets for the lunch on 11th December and are clear on the programme for the Captain General's visit. I write now to say that you have been selected to attend the Champagne Reception in the Long Room before the lunch in the Marquee and this letter gives you further instructions for that element of the day.

Some 140 will be in the Long Room and, of these, eighty, in 8 "horseshoes" of 10 people, will be formally introduced to the Captain-General. The plan is that Her Majesty will enter the room and, escorted by General Alex, will be guided round the 8 strategically placed horseshoes, being first introduced to the "OC Horseshoe" and then being introduced by the OC to members of the horseshoe. This will all be done rather speedily as we only have a short time for the reception. The route is designed so that Her Majesty ends up in front of her portrait where she will meet the artist, Mr Chen Yan Ning.

Although there is this formal plan which ensures those in horseshoes meet Her Majesty, it is intended that there is a convivial party atmosphere in the Long Room. Those not in horseshoes are asked, therefore, to spread round the room filling the gaps between the horseshoes. Those in charge of each horseshoe will have been briefed on where they should stand and, if you are in a horseshoe, you should make your way to your designated position and ensure the OC knows you are present. Once Her Majesty has passed each horseshoe, those in the horseshoe may mingle in the room as they wish. I would just ask that you keep clear of Her Majesty's progression round the room.

It is important that you are in the Long Room by 1230 hrs at the latest so that the Hardstanding is kept clear for the arrival of the Royal Party. Drinks will be served in the Long Room from 1235 hrs so all will have drinks in their hand by the time Her Majesty arrives at the entrance at about 1243 hrs.

As soon as Her Majesty retires to the Drum Room, I ask that you make your way, expeditiously, to the Marquee on the Artillery Garden. Those wishing to use the

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Registered Charity No. 208443

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lavatories before lunch are asked to use those in Armoury House rather than in the Marquee where the other 900 guests will be enjoying their reception, but please make sure that you are back at your table in the marquee no later than 1310 hrs. Finally, I will mention the cloakroom facilities. There are ample cloakroom facilities in the Marquee but, if the weather is unkind, you may wish to take your coats and umbrellas up to Armoury House. If so, please use the cloak room in the hall but leave yourself a little more time as it is likely there will be a queue on getting into Armoury House. Also, remember where you leave your coats as there will be a scrum to get quickly down to lunch! If you need to use the Marquee cloakroom on return from Armoury House, you should enter by the marquee door furthest from Armoury House as this is adjacent to the Marquee cloakrooms.

I attach an extract from our administrative instruction which lists all those who are to be in the Long Room. The list, of course, includes your wife or whoever you are bringing as a guest. The extract also includes guidance of the protocol of introductions to Her Majesty.

If you have any further queries, please do not hesitate to ring me (020 7382 1536) or the Court Secretary (020 7382 1530) and we will be happy to assist. I am sorry that this sounds like an instruction for a military campaign, but it is!

Yours sincerely
Digby O'Leone



Patron, 2003 Centenary Boston Visit:
HRH The Prince of Wales KG KT GCB

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Dear Sirs,

I presume you now have
your accommodation booked as I have
not heard from you?? I am away in
Kent this weekend but if you want
me or have a problem my tel # at
our cottage is 44.1580291490 or at
the main house 44.1580291212.
I arrive back to London - SHOOTING ALL
TUESDAY 10th - sometime after 19.00 HRS
- Tel # 44 (020) 7341 9455.
Attached are the briefing notes for
WED 11th December, Peter Patrick's wife
- Teresa will meet you in the MARQUEE -
at around 12.00 HRS - Expect time to be confirmed.

Best David,

Colonel Brian Kay (Representative Deputy Lieutenant for Islington)
Mrs Gwen Kay

TOTAL - 80

3. The OC Horseshoe will be responsible for introducing the members of the Horseshoes to HM. Time will not necessarily allow personal introductions to all in the "horseshoe" but some inclusive remarks, with, perhaps, an introduction of an individual or two selected from the horseshoe.

4. It should be remembered by all members of the Horseshoes who speak to the Captain-General, that on first addressing HM she should be addressed as "Your Majesty" and subsequently as "Ma'am" (rhyming with Pam). On introduction and on leaving, a bow (the head only) or curtsy is made. When introducing another person to The Queen it is only necessary to state the name of the person or persons to be introduced, i.e. 'May I present Your Majesty?'

5. Also in the Long Room for the Reception, but not being introduced to HM are:

- Court Assistants
 - Assistant & Mrs William Emus (2)
 - Assistant & Mrs Ben Blackett Ord (2)
 - Assistant & Mrs Johnny Longbottom (2)
 - Assistant & Mrs Marcus (2)
 - Assistant & Mrs Marsland-Roberts (2)
 - Assistant & Mrs John Parkes (2)
 - Assistant & Lady Pickthorn (2) Total - 14
- Accompanying Party
 - VP (2)
 - Treasurer (2)
 - Regt Col (2)
 - CO (2) Total - 8
- VIPs
 - Field Marshal Lord and Lady Inge (2)
 - General Sir Roger and Lady Wheeler (2) Total 4
- Regimental Colonels and CO's not in the Court
 - Lieutenant Colonel Johns & Miss Susan Johns (2)
 - Colonel & Mrs Graeme Gilchrist (2)
 - Colonel and Mrs Christopher Powell-Smith (2)
 - Colonel and Mrs Richard Burford (2)
 - Colonel and Mrs David Spooner (2)
 - Colonel Geoffrey Godbold and Miss Alannah Godbold (2)
 - Colonel & Mrs James Ferguson (2)
 - Brigadier and Mrs Simon Lalor (2) Total 16
- Ex Civil Chiefs
 - John Challis & Mrs Challis (2)

- Major & Mrs Pergus Falk (2)
- Capt & Mrs Don Hodgson (2)
- Colonel & Mrs Robin Hunter (2)
- Lt Col Sir Douglas & Lady Morpeth (2)
- Major & Mrs John Phipson (2)
- Major & Mrs O'Hagan (2)
- Major & Mrs Richard Close-Smith (2) Total 16

• Chief Executive - Mr & Mrs Digby O'Lone (2) Total 2

6. Also present will be:

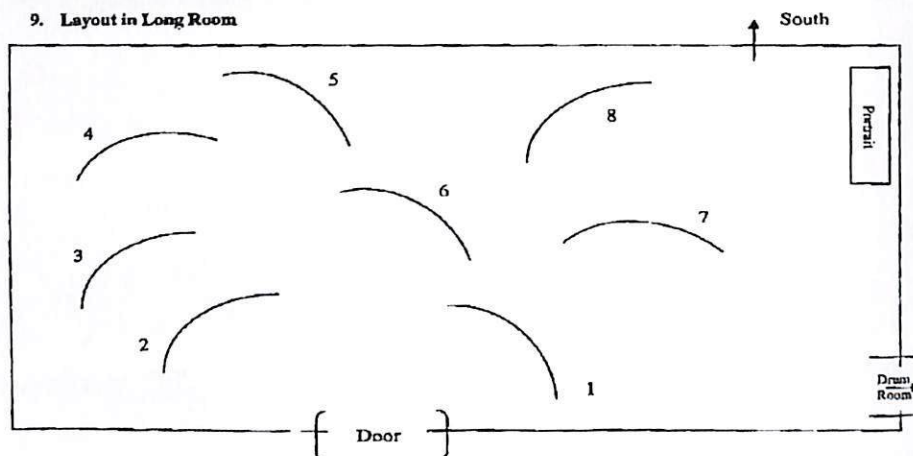
APS - Mr Christopher Geidt
 Lady-in-Waiting - The Lady Susan Hussey
 Equerry in waiting - the
 Queen's Police Officer - Inspector Kenneth Atmore
 Colonel Stuart Tauber AHAC
 Lieutenant George Morrison - 11 -
 Mrs Duncan Boardman
 Mrs Peter Patrick Total 8

7. To be introduced in front of the portrait are to be:

- Mr Chen Yan Ning
- Major and Mrs Graham Neil - Total 3

8. The total number, therefore, in the Long Room, will be: 151. On top of this will be a photographer controlled by the Regimental Media Team.

9. Layout in Long Room



*The President and Court of Assistants of
 The Honourable Artillery Company*

request the pleasure of the company of

Colonel Stuart Tauber

at Luncheon

to be held at Armory House, City Road, London EC1Y 2B2

on Wednesday 11th December 2002

at 12.30pm

Dress: Suits

PM

RATP

020 7382 1537



Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II
 Captain-General of the Honourable Artillery Company
Chen Yan Ning 1999

Luncheon in the presence of
Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II
Captain-General of the Honourable Artillery Company
at Armoury House

President
General Sir Alex Harley KBE CB

Vice-President
Major Hugh Edmunds TD

Treasurer
Major Ronald Bassett Cross TD

Regimental Colonel
Colonel George Clarke TD

Commanding Officer
Lieutenant Colonel the Hon Mark Vincent MBE

Chief Executive
Digby O'Lone Esq MSc

11th December 2002

Menu

Marinated Scottish Salmon
with Pink Grapefruit & Chive Dressing



Roast Rump of English Lamb
with Rosemary & Redcurrant Sauce
Crushed Minted Potatoes
Braised Leek & Turned Carrots



Apricot Bread & Butter Pudding
Served with Vanilla Sauce



Coffee & Chocolates

Macon-Villages 2001
Chateau Lescalle 1999

Programme of Music
by the Salon Orchestra of the Honourable Artillery Company

Director of Music
Lieutenant Colonel Stuart Watts OBE LRAM psm

March	Standard of St George	Alford
Overture	Patience	Sullivan
Piano Feature	Forgotten Dreams	Anderson
	<i>Piano: LSgt Whittle A</i>	
Potpourri	Radio Reminiscences	arr. Watts
Ballads	London by Night	arr. Pryce
	Trumpeters' Lullaby	Anderson
	<i>Trumpet: LCpl Woollams R</i>	
Oratorio	Arrival of the Queen of Sheba	Handel
	<i>Oboists: Musicians Laing J and Swindles A</i>	
Waltz	The Grenadiers	Waldteufel
Grand Selection	The Rose	arr. Myddleton
March	Civil and Military	Schrammel

By kind permission of the Commanding Officer
Lieutenant Colonel the Hon Mark Vincent MBE

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10 February 2003



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Captain Commanding, The Ancient
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AHAC Participation, LINCOLN
BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION, Hingham,
Massachusetts, 8 February 2003.

On the morning of 8 February 2003, dressed in my AHAC parade dress uniform I participated in what is an annual remembrance event honoring President Abraham Lincoln and Major General Benjamin Lincoln both of whom had Hingham, Massachusetts ancestry.

It was originated about fifteen years ago by our late AHAC member, COL FRANCIS E. CADIGAN, Jr. USA(Ret.) a Hingham resident. He brought together, the Town of Hingham government officials and several other military historical organizations including the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts.

The AHAC connection is related to Major General Benjamin Lincoln who was Captain Commanding, AHAC in 1788-1789. He was also Massachusetts Lieutenant Governor, first U.S. Collector of Customs, Boston and a host of other government positions. Our Color Guard and other AHAC members have traditionally participated, as have several Captains Commanding.

Ceremonies began at 1100 in the Old Ship, oldest house of worship in Hingham. THE SPEAKER OF THE DAY was Sergeant Robert D. Hall, Jr. of Needham. He is an AHAC member and the Deputy Commissioner, Veterans Affairs, Commonwealth of Massachusetts. He dressed in the Union Army uniform as a Sergeant in the Civil War, William Dismore, a Chelsea Mass. Volunteer. The subject "PRESIDENT LINCOLN AS SEEN THROUGH THE LETTERS OF CIVIL WAR SOLDIER WILLIAM DINSMORE". Bob Hall's presentation was excellent and could be of interest to the AHAC members at a future event.

A program copy is attached. Sponsoring organizations - Military Order Of The Loyal Legion Of The United States (MOLLUSO) was founded almost immediately after the assassination of President Lincoln. The Military Historical Society of Massachusetts was founded 7 February 1876 by John Codman Ropes, Boston Attorney. Other AHAC members attending in civilian dress were Captain Leo Lazo, COL Gerard J. Hayes and Master Sergeant Stephen G. Kelsch.

Respectfully submitted
Captain Edmund J. Rineford
Member Public Affairs Committee

The oldest CHARTERED military organization in the Western Hemisphere;
and the third oldest in the world.

2003 LINCOLN BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

PRELUDE - Music of the Revolutionary War Period
Judy Hardy, Organ and Ted Haines, Trumpet

Master of Ceremonies - Brigadier General John Diggins, (Ret)

OPENING ANTHEM - "America" (Sung by all.)

INVOCATION - Reverend Kenneth Read-Brown, Minister, Old Ship Church

PRESENTATION OF THE COLORS - Color Guard of the Ancient and Honorable
Artillery Company of Massachusetts

THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

NATIONAL ANTHEM - "The Star Spangled Banner" (Sung by all.)

RECOGNITION OF SPONSORING ORGANIZATIONS

TOWN OF HINGHAM
Board of Selectmen: Matt MacIver, Chairman, Philip Edmondson, Lissa Tully
MILITARY ORDER OF THE LOYAL LEGION
Warren M. Wells Jr., Commander, Massachusetts Commandery
HINGHAM HISTORICAL SOCIETY
Willis Ertman, President
SOCIETY OF THE CINCINNATI
Philip E. Shute, Assistant Secretary, Massachusetts Society
DAMES OF THE LOYAL LEGION
Claire Cadigan, President, Massachusetts Society
MILITARY HISTORICAL SOCIETY OF MASSACHUSETTS
Harold Learson, President
HINGHAM MILITIA
Captain Peter Hall, Commander

SPEAKER OF THE DAY - Robert Hall

"President Lincoln As Seen Through The Letters of Civil War Soldier William Dinsmore"

PRAYER FOR THE FUTURE - Father John Gallop, Chaplain, Hingham Militia

HYMN - "Battle Hymn of The Republic" (Sung by all.)

RETIRING OF THE COLORS

BENEDICTION - Reverend Kenneth Read-Brown

POSTLUDE - Music of the Civil War Period
Judy Hardy, Organ and Ted Haines, Trumpet

(Weather permitting, all will then proceed to Fountain Square for the laying of wreaths and firing of salutes.)

AMERICA

My country, 'tis of thee, Sweet land of liberty,
Of thee I sing. Land where my fathers died,
Land of the Pilgrim's pride, From every mountainside
Let freedom ring.

Let music swell the breeze, And ring from all the trees,
Sweet freedom's song; Let mortal tongues awake;
Let all that breathe partake; Let rocks their silence break;
The sound prolong.

Our fathers' God, to Thee, Author of liberty,
To Thee we sing: Long may our land be bright
With freedom's holy light; Protect us by Thy might,
Great God, our King.

NATIONAL ANTHEM

O say can you see, by the dawn's early light,
What so proudly we hailed at the twilight's last gleaming,
Whose broad stripes and bright stars, through the perilous
fight,
O'er the ramparts we watched, were so gallantly streaming?
And the rockets' red glare, the bombs bursting in air,
Gave proof through the night that our flag was still there.
O say does that Star-spangled Banner yet wave
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?

O thus be it ever when free men shall stand
Between their loved homes and the war's desolation;
Blessed with victory and peace, may the Heaven rescued
land
Praise the Power that hath made and preserved us a nation
Then conquer we must, when our cause it is just,
And this be our motto, "In God is our trust"
And the Star-Spangled Banner in triumph shall wave
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave.

BATTLE HYMN OF THE REPUBLIC

Mine eyes have seen the glory of the coming of the Lord
He is trampling out the vintage where the grapes of wrath are
stored,
He hath loosed the fateful lightning of his terrible swift
sword,
His truth is marching on.

Chorus
Glory! Glory! Hallelujah!
Glory! Glory! Hallelujah!
Glory! Glory! Hallelujah!
His truth is marching on.

I have seen him in the watchfires of a hundred circling camps
They have builded him an altar in the evening dews and
damps
I can read his righteous sentence by the dim and flaring lamps
His day is marching on.

Chorus
In the beauty of the lilies, Christ was born across the sea
With a glory in his bosom that transfigures you and me,
As He died to make men holy, let us die to make them free!
While God is marching on.

Chorus

**COL STUART P. TAUBER, CC
2002-2003**

**HEADQUARTERS
ANCIENT AND HONORABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY
OF MASSACHUSETTS**

**Armory, Faneuil Hall
Parade Order Number 2**

**Boston, MA 02109
February 27, 2003**

SAINT PATRICK'S DAY PARADE MARCH 16, 2003

- I. The Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company will participate in the Saint Patrick's Day Parade, commencing at 1300 hours in South Boston.
- II. COMMANDER OF THE TROOPS: COL Stuart P. Tauber, Captain Commanding
- III. PLACE: Commences at out-bound side of Broadway Bridge, South Boston, MA.
TIME: 1300 hours, 16 March 2003.
- IV. UNIFORM: Parade Uniform with cover and white gloves.
- V. DETAILS:
 - A. Colors will be carried.
 - B. Members of the Company will report to the Personnel Sergeant to receive credit for the parade. It is the member's responsibility to insure that his name is recorded on the roster.
- VI. COORDINATING INSTRUCTIONS:
 - A. Pre-Parade Assembly will take place at Broadway Station, South Boston, NLT1130 hours.
 - B. A Brush Hill bus will carry members from the Armory to the Assembly Area and will return to the Armory following

both the parade and collation. Members will board the bus and depart from North and Congress Streets NLT 1100 hours.

- C. A Collation will follow at Kay's Laundromat, 360 West Broadway, South Boston. It is located at the corner of West Broadway and E. Street.

**Official:
Thomas E. Richter, Adjutant**

**By order of
COL Stuart P. Tauber
Captain Commanding**

**COL STUART P. TAUBER, CC
2002-2003**

**HEADQUARTERS
ANCIENT AND HONORABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY
OF MASSACHUSETTS**

**Armory, Faneuil Hall
St. Patrick's Day Parade**

**Boston, MA 02109
March 17, 2003**

SAINT PATRICK'S DAY PARADE MARCH 16, 2003

The Company gathered at the Armoury at 11:00 AM and were transported to South Boston for the annual St. Patrick's Day Parade.

A total of 37 members stepped off at approximately 13:30 hours and marched for an estimated 4 miles thru the streets of South Boston.

It was a sunny afternoon but cool for most of the day.

The crowd, estimated at 850,000 people, was enthusiastic and very patriotic. We were greeted with loud applause thru-out the march, which ended at 16:00 hours.

Then, the Ancients boarded the bus and were off to Kay's Laundromat on West Broadway St., where a collation awaited, which was prepared for us by our Commissary Officer, Bill Mignosa.

After our refreshments we all boarded our bus for the trip back to the Armoury which concluded the day's event.

All those who participated should be commended for taking the time on a sunny Sunday afternoon to represent the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts.

A special thanks to MSG. Gerry Kelly and the Color Guard for doing a great job under some very windy conditions.

Those attending:

COL Tauber, C.C.	LT May	COL Richter
LT Morrison	LT Morrill	LT Bradley
BG Graunus, P.C.	CPT Mahoney, P.C.	CPT Begin
CPT Cherone	MSG Conrad	LT Antell
SGT Deegan	PVT Dudley	SGT Hillery
MSG Kelly	SGT Kane	SGT Lou
BG Maddocks	MAJ McGuire	MAJ Modestino
LTC O'Malley	SGT B. O'Malley	LT Noterman
WO3 Peatridge	SGT D. Previte	COL Silverman
LT Sweeney	PVT Sickorez	SGT Ronder
LT Vozzella	LT Wahn	SSGT Weydt
CPT Rupp	CPT Sheehan	SGT Watson
LT Ryan		

Respectfully Submitted,
LT George M. Morrison

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April 7, 2003



Chartered in 1638

COLONEL Stuart P. Tauber
Captain Commanding, The Ancient
And Honorable Artillery Company
Of Massachusetts, The Armory,
Faneuil Hall, Boston, MA 02109

Participation at Northeastern
University Annual Awards Ceremony
Army Reserve Officers' Training
Corps (ROTC), April 1, 2003.

Dear COLONEL Tauber,

I was honored to represent the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company at the 2003 Northeastern University Liberty Battalion, Army Reserve Officer's Training Corps (ROTC) ceremony honoring this year's Outstanding Cadets. The university has sponsored the ROTC program since 1951, without interruption. During that time over 4,000 cadets have graduated and become commissioned as Second Lieutenants; to serve in the U.S. Army, U.S. Army Reserve and the National Guard.

I presented a suitably engraved Silver Revere Bowl in your name to:

CADET WILLIAM T. WICKS, BOSTON COLLEGE

In addition to training students from Northeastern University, others from, Boston College, Wentworth Institute and other local state college participate in the program. Enclosed - a Program for this year's annual ceremony. Among the presenters was COLONEL JOHN ARTHUR MOORE, a Past Captain Commanding of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, who represented the ASSOCIATION OF THE UNITED STATES ARMY.

This was a special pleasure for me since I am a 1953 graduate from Northeastern University, celebrating my 50th Reunion Anniversary in June.

Yours in Comradeship,

George M. Morrison
Captain Edmund J. Rainsford

Member- AHAC's Public Affairs Committee

The oldest CHARTERED military organization in the Western Hemisphere;
and the third oldest in the world.



*The President and Court of Assistants of
The Honourable Artillery Company*

request the pleasure of the company of

Colonel Stuart P. Tauber

at St. George's Dinner

to be held at Armoury House, City Road, London EC1Y 2BQ

on Thursday 24th April 2003

at 7.00pm

Dress Uniform or...

White tie with miniature & decorations

R.N.P.

020 7382 1537



London, April 2003 (l to r) FM Lord Peter Inge, COL Stuart Tauber, Major Basil Bicknell, guest HAC

Colonel Stuart P Tauber



1537-2003

HONOURABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY

ST. GEORGE'S DINNER

at

ARMOURY HOUSE

Thursday, 24th April 2003

GENERAL SIR ALEX HARLEY KBE CB

President, Honourable Artillery Company, in the Chair

THE RT HON WILLIAM HAGUE MP

Principal Guest

St. George's Dinner

Menu

Trio of Salmon
with young leaves and lime crème fraiche

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Pan-fried Venison with a wild mushroom sauce,  
pomme fondant, roasted carrots  
and green beans

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Scotch Woodcock

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Berry Meringue with Chocolate Mousse

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Coffee

Verdicchio Classico—Sartarelli, Marches 2001
Merlot—R H Philips, Dunnigan Hills, Napa 2000
Brown Brothers Orange Muscat 2001
Fonseca LBV 1996

Rule Britannia

When Britain first at Heaven's Command
Arose from out the azure Main
Arose from out, arose from out the azure Main.
This was the Charter, the Charter of the Land,
And Guardian Angels sang this strain:

Chorus

Rule Britannia! Britannia rule the waves,
Britons never, never, never will be slaves } Sung twice

The Muses still with Freedom found
Shall to thy happy coast repair,
Shall to thy happy, happy coast repair.
Blest Isle with matchless, with matchless beauty crowned,
And manly hearts to guard the fair.

Chorus

Rule Britannia (etc) } Sung Twice

P.T.O

Land of Hope and Glory

Land of Hope and Glory, Mother of the Free,
How shall we extol thee, who are born of thee?
Wider still yet wider shall thy bounds be set;
God, who made thee mighty,
Make thee mightier yet.
God, who made thee mighty,
Make thee mightier yet.

REPEAT

24th April 2003

Toasts

THE QUEEN

Captain-General, Honourable Artillery Company

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**THE PRINCE PHILIP, DUKE OF EDINBURGH  
THE PRINCE OF WALES, THE DUKE OF YORK  
And other Members of the Royal Family**

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ENGLAND

Proposed by The Rt Hon William Hague MP

THE GUESTS

Proposed by Mr James Gray MP

Response by Mr Boris Johnson MP

PROGRAMME OF MUSIC

By the Orchestra of
THE HONOURABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY
Director of Music: Lieutenant Colonel S A Watts OBE LRAM psm

By permission of the Commanding Officer:
Lieutenant Colonel the Hon Mark Vincent MBE

ENTRANCE OF GUESTS

March	British Grenadiers	arr Kappey
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MUSIC DURING DINNER

March	Standard of St George	Alford
Waltz	Eton Boating Song	Kaps
Serenade	Elizabethan Serenade	Binge
Selection	Pirates of Penzance	Sullivan
Songs	London by Night	arr Pryce
	Chanson de Matin	Elgar
Suite	Three English Dances	Fletcher
Finale	Fireworks Music	Handel
Selection	Me and My Girl	Gay
March	Great Little Army	Alford

NATIONAL ANTHEMS

MUSIC AFTER DINNER

March	British Grenadiers	
Entry	Standard of St George	Alford
Solo item	Lucy Long	Godfrey
	Bassoonist—Musician Martin Bament	
Songs	Rule Britannia	Arne
	Land of Hope and Glory	Elgar
March	British Grenadiers	arr Kappey



*261st Anniversary
Dinner-Dance
of the
Boston Marine Society*

Boston Marine Society

Officers

*President.....Captain Alvin H. Mandly
Vice President.....Captain Richard J. Shannon
Secretary/Treasurer.....Captain Harold F. Lynch
Assistant Secretary/Treasurer....Mr. Ralph R. Bagley*

Trustees

*Captain Thomas E. Burke
Captain Harold W. Coburn
Captain David E. Cox
Captain Steven P. Fox
Captain Robert A. Kolofsky
Captain Peter J. Lawrence
Captain David G. Leonard
Captain Stefan J. Palmer
Captain Bruce J. Porter
Radm. Raymond H. Wood*

Dinner-Dance Committee

*Honorary Chairman - Captain Alvin H. Mandly
Captain Harold W. Coburn Captain Peter J. Lawrence
Captain David G. Leonard Captain Harold F. Lynch*

*Guest Speaker - Mr. Richard S. Armstrong
Director Massachusetts Port Advisory Council*

Master of Ceremonies

Captain Alvin H. Mandly

The Menu

Soup:

Traditional Lobster Bisque

*Jessica's Rolls Pre-set in a basket,
Fairmont Butter on a Lemon Leaf*

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Salad:

*California Field Greens, Crumbled Blue Cheese, Enoki
Mushrooms, Hearts of Palm, Red Endive
and Yellow Cherry Tomatoes
Champagne Vinaigrette*

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Entree:

*Filet Mignon 8 oz., Bernaise Sauce
Garlic Mashed Potatoes
Asparagus with Red Pepper Ring
Yellow Baby Sun Burst Squash
Baby Carrots
Tomato Filled with Parmesan Cheese*

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Dessert:

*White Chocolate Mousse Dome
Chocolate Spiral on Macaroon Crust,
Raspberry Coulis*

*Freshly Brewed Coffee, Decaffeinated Coffee
and Assorted Teas*

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Wine:

Salmon Creek Chardonnay and Salmon Creek Cabernet

Mr. Richard S. Armstrong

Fiddlers Cove Farm, North Falmouth, Cape Cod, Mass.

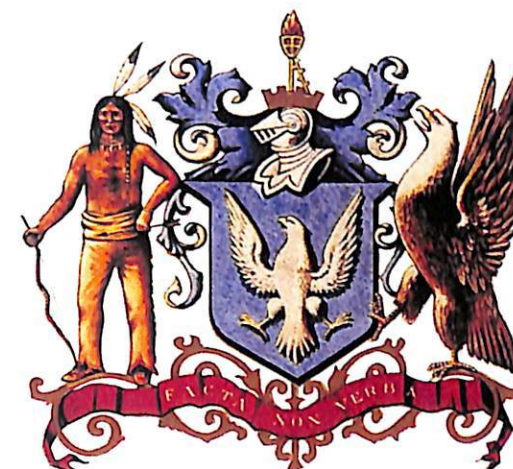
Rick has two degrees from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. As an undergraduate he received his degree in Naval Architecture and Marine Engineering; his graduate work was in transportation systems, business and finance leading to a Master's Degree in Civil Engineering. He has a degree in Theology from the Episcopal Divinity School and is an Ordained Priest of the Episcopal Church. He worked on systems analysis and undersea instrumentation at both the Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution and the University of Michigan. His work has been published in institutional as well as professional journals. After continuing his career in finance and planning for a large non-profit and as a consultant, Rick purchased a small Cape Cod boat yard and developed it into one of the largest Marinas in the area. He has since sold the marina but continues to own and operate a retail hardware and marine supply business on Cape Cod.

Rick has served in elected office at the local and county levels and was a candidate for Lt. Governor. He has served the Commonwealth of Massachusetts as Assistant Secretary of Environmental Affairs focusing on the conflicts between environmental protection, transportation, and economic development. At its inception eight years ago Rick was appointed by the Governor to head the Commonwealth's three hundred million dollar Seaport Redevelopment Initiative and to be Executive Secretary of the newly created Seaport Advisory Council. Rick continues in that role and serves as well as advisor to the Governor and Lt. Governor on maritime policy and as Director of Port Development for the Commonwealth. In addition to being very active in a number of Maritime and Port Authority Associations, most recently appointed first chair of the North Atlantic Ports Association's new standing Committee on Coastwise Shipping, he teaches Small Business Administration and Marina Management at the Massachusetts Maritime Academy.

Rick is an avid mechanic, skier, boater, and model railroad collector. When time permits, he enjoys driving behind Nautilus, the family's Morgan horse.

Ancient and Honorable
Artillery Company
of Massachusetts

2002



2003

Regular Meetings and Minutes

MINUTES OF THE MAY 28, 2002 REGULAR MEETING THE FIFTH SPRING MEETING

- Captain Benoit called the meeting to order at 1930 hours and led the members in the Pledge of Allegiance.
- COL Father Edward McCabe gave the invocation.
- The Personnel Adjutant and Clerk read the minutes of the May 13, 2002 Regular Meeting. The minutes were accepted as read.
- This meeting represented Captain Benoit's last Regular Meeting of his Command Year. He took this opportunity to thank all the members for supporting and participating in all the Company events and in particular thanked the members who held administrative and committee positions in the Company. *Captain Benoit presented the results of the Tri Color Match held on May 19, 2002 at Camp Edwards. Members of the Company took first place in the 9mm pistol match (Dan Kelley, Dave Sutherland, George Wahn, Tony Shalna); third place in the M16 rifle match (Tony Shalna, Joe Oliviera, Frank O'Rourke, Dan Kelly, Dave Sutherland, George Wahn); Top Gun Award went to Member David Sutherland and the Top Shooter with the M16 was SGM Chris Peatridge with a score of 130.
- Captain Benoit called upon the Senior Past Captain present for a motion to go into the Committee of the Whole for purposes of receiving nominations for an un-expired term (2002-2003) on the Trustees of the Permanent Fund. The Motion was Made by CPT Robert Murphy, P.C. and voted unanimously. CPT Paul Mahoney, P.C. nominated SGT Michael Biskup, he was seconded by SGT Paul Nader. There were no other nominations. A vote was taken that directed the Personnel Adjutant and Clerk to cast one vote for SGT Michael Biskup to serve the un-expired term. CPT Murphy, P.C. made the motion to adjourn the Committee of the Whole and it was so voted.
- LT George Morrison called the roll of the Past Captains present.
- COL Richter called the roll of Sergeants and reported all present or accounted for.
- Captain Benoit adjourned the meeting at 1830 hours.

MINUTES OF THE SIXTH SPRING MEETING OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE 10 JUNE 2002

Members Attending: COL Stuart P. Tauber, C.C., Chairman; 1st LT William J. O'Brien, Vice Chairman; 2nd LT Daniel G. May; COL James R. Littleton, Paymaster; CPT Louis A. Zuliani, P.C.; LT Jerome V. Sweeney; LT Michael J. Verrochi, III; LT William P. Mignosa; MAJ Michael W. Downing; GEN Charles R. Forman; CPT Domenic Uglietto, LT Michael Dorn.

Observers: LT Peter Antell; LT George Morrison; LT Paul Morrill

Item 1.0 Captain Commanding Tauber opened the meeting at 5:20 PM and introduced the meeting by stating his goals and objectives for this year. These briefly stated are that he wants a return to the traditions and Standards of the Company; wants more participation in parades and Company functions.

Informed the members that we will have to plan for 250 to 300 plus Honourable Artillery Company members and guests for June Day 2003. Reminded the Committee members to be attentive to recruitment of new candidates and retention of present members.

Item 2.0 Issues involving the Executive Secretary and Curator that relate to continued employment, compensation, vacation, life insurance and work week were presented and acted upon favorably. The Committee voted to continue the employment of the Executive Secretary and Curator for the Company year 2002-2003, increase annual vacation to three weeks, authorized a four day work week and provide \$600.00 for the purchase of life insurance.

Item 3.0 BG William Koughan's request (letter attached) for refund of payment for the 364th FFDTD that he and his wife could not attend due to illness and hospitalization of his wife. The Committee voted to make the refund but first would request a letter from CPT Joseph Benoit, P.C. asking what actions, if any, he took on this matter.

Item 4.0 Captain Commanding Tauber announced the following new positions for 2002-2003; Assistant Adjutant, BG Emery A. Maddocks, Jr.; Assistant to the Chief of Staff, GEN Charles P. Forman; Assistant to the Chaplains, COL Bob Sheridan; Assistant Chaplains, BG David P. Mahan & LT Rev. Bartley MacPhaidan, CSC. The Standing Committee approved these appointments.

Item 5.0 Captain Commanding Tauber announced the following new Committees for 2002-2003: Public Affairs Committee; Operations and Support Committee; Protocol Committee; HAC 2003 Committee; Inaugural Committee; Administrative Committee. The Standing Committee granted approval.

Item 6.0 The Standing Committee was adjourned at 6:30 PM.

Respectfully submitted,
COL William J. O'Brien
First Lieutenant 2002-2003

Attachment(1)

MINUTES OF THE SIXTH SPRING MEETING 10 JUNE 2002

1. Captain Commanding COL Stuart P. Tauber called the meeting to order at 1930.
2. Adjutant Thomas E. Richter led the company in pledging allegiance to our flag and country.
3. Chaplain COL Alvin I. Lieberman gave the opening prayer.
4. Sick Call. First LT COL William J. O'Brien announced the following as being sick:
 - a. SGM George P. Bruno
 - b. MAJ John F. Welch
 - c. LT Joseph W. Howard
5. Minutes of the Fifth Spring meeting 28 May 2002, were accepted as read by First LT COL William J. O'Brien.
6. Communications: Letter from family of CDR Richard Cables (sp).
7. No Discharges
8. New member sworn into the company:
 - a. John M. Feeny
9. Elected to be Members:
 - a. Charles J. Sillari, Jr.
 - b. Louis A. Ferrara
 - c. CPL David S. Saliba
10. The ceremonial exchange of Captains Commanding was executed by the Museum & Library Committee Chair.
11. New Business:
 - a. P.C. MGEN James A. Lynch, Jr announced the HAC of London 2003 visit to Boston. Called for a meeting of the Committee for Monday, 24 June 2002.
 - b. P.C. BGEN Joseph A. Milano announced a breakfast for the Republic of Thailand consular briefing on Thursday, 13 June 2002.
 - c. CAPT Ed Rainsford gave a report on the much delayed awarding of Purple Hearts to the crewmembers of the USS EAGLE which was lost to a torpedo from a German U-Boat in April 1945. The ceremony was held on board USS SALEM with many dignitaries and A&HAC members and Color Guard in attendance.

- d. Captain Commanding COL Stuart P. Tauber announced the following committees for 2002-2003 which were approved by the membership: HAC 2003 Committee Operations and Support Committee Protocol Committee, Public Affairs Committee and Inaugural Committee (These are all in Special Order No.2 of 11 June 2002)
- e. First SGT COL Robert E. Welsh, Jr made an announcement regarding the Sergeants Golf Day for 15 July 2002.
- f. Captain Commanding COL Stuart P. Tauber reported on his trip to DC about the FFTD where he met with members of DOD with our congressman, Stephen Lynch.
12. Captain Commanding COL Stuart P. Tauber stated two main goals for 2002-2003:
- Bring our membership to full strength. 80 new good members will do it.
 - Show our colors by maximum attendance in Parades. By rule every member is required to parade once a year.
13. First LT COL William J. O'Brien called the roll of Past Commanders in attendance
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|----|-------|-----------|--------------------------|
| a. | 262nd | 1971-1972 | CPT Edward J. Keeland |
| b. | 268th | 1977-1978 | CPT Robert D. Murphy |
| c. | 269th | 1978-1979 | MGEN James A. Lynch, Jr. |
| d. | 281st | 1989-1990 | BGEN Joseph A. Milano |
| e. | 283rd | 1991-1992 | BGEN Reynold P. Graunas |
| f. | 284th | 1992-1993 | COL Leonard J. Sacco |
| g. | 285th | 1993-1994 | LTC Ernest C. Caggiano |
| h. | 288th | 1996-1997 | CPT Paul J. Mahoney |
| i. | 289th | 1997-1998 | COL Richard A. Luccio |
| j. | 292nd | 2000-2001 | CPT Louis A. Zuliani |
| k. | 293rd | 2001-2002 | CPT Joseph C. Benoit |
14. Adjutant Thomas E. Richter called the roll of the Imperial Sergeants.
15. The meeting adjourned at 2020.

Respectfully submitted
CDR Edmund Chavenger
Personnel Sergeant

COL STUART P. TAUBER
CAPTAIN COMMANDING 2002 - 2003
NOTICE NO. 2



HEADQUARTERS

ARMORY, FANEUIL HALL

BOSTON, MASS. 02109

23 July 2002

SUMMER MEETING

The Company Summer Meeting will begin at 1930 hours on Monday, 5 August 2002 at the Armory.

COLLATION AT 1800 HOURS

Commissary Officer LT Paul Mignosa will be presenting a collation beginning at 1800 hours at which prospective members of the Company are welcome. The collation will close at 1915 hours. Guests will be asked to leave the Headquarters before the Regular Meeting of the members is convened. Following the meeting the collation will re-open and guests are welcome.

MILITARY SUPPORT COMMITTEE

The Committee will meet from 1730 hours to 1830 hours Monday, 5 August 2002 at the Union Oyster House.

TEN OF US CLAMBAKE

This popular annual summer event will be held on Wednesday 14 August 2002, beginning at 1200 hours in Hopkinton at the Labor Training Center off of Route 135. The cost is very reasonable \$50.00 per person. This is a great opportunity to bring prospective new members to an Ancients event.

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

The first meeting of the Committee will be held on Monday, August 5, 2002 in the Company library. The Chairman, Vice Chairman, and Secretary will be in the Summer Uniform. Committee members will wear the Company Blazer, tie and white shirt. If a committee member cannot attend, please call Secretary Barton Hyte at 781-593-0917. The Committee will interview the following candidates at the times indicated. **Sponsors are reminded to be in the Armory with you applicant by 1745 hours.**

TIME—1800 HOURS

CHRISTIAN W. HOWARD

Born: 5 November 1969

Res: 45 Loomis St., Maiden

Occ: Firefighter

Mil. Serv: US Navy 1990-1992

Spon: LT Joseph Howard

Ref: CPT Joseph Benoit, P.C.

LT Leroy Keihn

LT Martin Henry

TIME—1820 HOURS

CAPT WILLIAM H. KELLEY

Born: 7 August 1935

Res: 9 Knights hill Road, Marblehead

Occ: Computer Sales & Repair

Mil. Serv: Merchant Marine

Spon: CPT Albert Mundo

Ref: CMDR Robert Gillen

CAPT Thomas Hudner, CMH

CAPT Leo Lazo

TIME—1840 HOURS

LTC ANTHONY M. PASQUALONE

Born: 31 January 1949

Res: 15 Epping St., Arlington

Occ: Occupational Health Nurse

Mil. Serv: US Navy 1969-1971

US Army on active duty

Spon: SGT Laurence Hogan

Ref: COL Edward Zullo

LTC Donald Consolmagno

LT John McCauley

TIME—1900 HOURS

COL BERNARD A. FLYNN, JR.

Born: 21 May 1948

Res: 28 Fairview Ave., Reading

Occ: City Administrator, Cambridge

Mil. Serv: MAANG 1968-present

Spon: SGT Christopher Duffy

Ref: COL Thomas Richter

COL Stuart P. Tauber, C.C.

BG Frank Labolita

TIME— 1940 HOURS

RAYMOND S. FALITE

Born: 18 September 1958

Res: 91 Farm St., Wakefield

Occ: HVAC Contractor

Mil. Serv: None

Spon: LT Vincent DeLuca

Ref: CPT Dominic Uglietto

LT Robert Tringali

LT Gerard McCarthy

TIME —1920 HOURS

RONALD J. FALITE

Born: 29 December 1951

Res: 24 Walter Lane, Wakefield

Occ: HVAC Contractor

Mil. Serv: None

Spon: LT Vincent DeLuca

Ref: CPT Dominic Uglietto

LT Robert Tringali

LT Gerard McCarthy

VOTING ON CANDIDATE FOR MEMBERSHIP

The following candidate will be voted on for membership into the Company on August 5, 2002.

TIME—1800 HOURS

MG (MA) RAYMOND A. VEZINA, Ret.

Born: 1 June 1939

Residence: 2 Kalamat Farms Circle, Shrewsbury

Occupation: Real Estate

Military. Service: MAARNG, 1961-1999

Sponsor: BG Rev. Robert M. Durkee

Reference: COL Stuart P. Tauber, C.C.

COL Rev. Edward D. McCabe

LTC Ronald J. Itri

STANDING COMMITTEE

The Committee will meet at Headquarters at 1715 hours on Monday, 5 August 2002. Please be prompt.

AGENDA

- 1.0 Motion to adopt minutes of 10 June 2002. Any corrections, changes or additions?
- 2.0 Report of the Paymaster on the 365th FFDTD
- 3.0 Status of BG William Koughan's request for refund of 364th FFDTD.
- 4.0 Status on Company's web site. – LT Donald Consolmagno
- 5.0 Company participation at parades and funerals
- 6.0 Insignia of rank for elected Sergeants and Past Non-commissioned Officers (Letter from 1st Sgt of Artillery 2001-2002 attached.) – LT Cornelius J. O'Leary
- 7.0 Administrative Matters
- 8.0 New Business- Anything happening with moving Fall Shoot to Devens?
- 9.0 Adjourn

**365TH FALL FIELD DAY TOUR OF DUTY
BUDAPEST, BRATASLAVA, VIENNA: THE IMPERIAL TOUR
OCTOBER 3RD TO 14TH 2002**

Captain Commanding Tauber has put together an exciting FFDTD that will visit three historical cities of the Austro-Hungarian Empire. These Central European cities are steeped in history and were the centers of European learning, culture, theatre, farming, mining, and were major players for many centuries on the continent. They came through some tough times in World War II and the Cold War. The people have rebuilt the Cities in magnificent fashion restoring the historically important areas with a blend of modern Central Europe.

Captain Commanding Tauber has received confirmation that US Ambassador Ronald Weiser and Slovak President Rudolf Schuster will be attending the wreath laying ceremony and the 365th FFDTD banquet in Bratislava. The Defense Attaches from The Czech Republic, France, Germany, Hungary, Poland and Britain have also been invited by the US Embassy and are expected to participate.

So, sign up for what will be a great FFDTD in cities with great history and beauty. The cost of the 12-day five star FFDTD is \$3,695.00. Send your \$500.00 deposit to COL James Littleton, Paymaster, 39 Dale Street, Chestnut Hill, MA 02467 and do it today. SGT Brian Pollack has requested that all members who have signed up for the 365th FFDTD to please return the registration forms he sent out so he can assign the airplane seats as soon as possible.

SERGEANTS BON VOYAGE PARTY

The 2002-2003 will be hosting a party on Thursday, 19 September 2002 at El Pannino's Restaurant, Boston, MA. Watch your mail for details, but there will be free parking, gourmet food, entertainment and the \$10,000 raffle.

2001-2002 COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN AND SECRETARY

Gentleman, you are reminded that under Paragraph 307 of the Company's R&R's you are to submit a written report on your Committee's meetings to the Executive Secretary on or before 16 September 2002.

IN MEMORIAM

SGT EUGENE C. WANIEWSKI	BG LEROY "Roy" W. RIOUX
Enrolled: 1 May 1995	Enrolled: 18 April 1978
Died: 29 June 2002	Died: 3 July 2002
Served: 7 years	Served: 24 years
Regular Member	Senior Life Member

"So when a great man dies, for years beyond his ken the light he leaves shines upon the lives of men." Amen

**A CELEBRATION OF BG ROY RIOUX'S LIFE
AUGUST 18, 2002**

Roy's family has scheduled this Celebration of his life for Sunday, August 18, 2002, from 2:00 PM to 4:00 PM at the Mercadante Funeral Home, 370 Plantation Street, Worcester.

A special program to Celebrate Roy's life will begin at 2:45 PM. Members are requested to attend in Company blazer and tie.

DIRECTIONS: From Route 495 North or South take Route 9 West, towards Worcester, for about 9 miles; take a right at the intersection of Route 9 and Plantation Street (UMass Medical Center/Hospital will be on the right). Mercadante Funeral Home is ¼ mile on the right.

LT CORNELIUS J. O'LEARY
Personnel Adjutant and Clerk

COL STUART P. TAUBER
Captain Commanding

MINUTES OF THE 5 AUGUST 2002 REGULAR MEETING THE SUMMER MEETING

Captain Commanding COL Stuart Tauber opened the meeting at 1930 hours. Adjutant COL Thomas Richter led the members in the pledge of allegiance to the flag and our country.

Reverend BG David Mahn gave the opening prayer.

The LT Neil O'Leary announced the following members as sick: LT Joseph Chili, Robert Hanslip, SGT Franco DiBenedetto, COL Thomas J. McGrimley

And on the death roll BG Leroy Rioux and SGT Eugene Waniewski.

The minutes of the Sixth Spring Meeting, 10 June 2002 were accepted as read.

MG Raymond Vezina was elected to Regular Membership in the Company. LT Gerard McCarthy announced three "VIP Nights" for prospective candidates. These will be held on 10 September 2002, 6 November 2002 and 12 March 2003. LT McCarthy presented CPT Angelo Sciaratta with a jacket for bringing three new members into the Company.

1st LT William J. O'Brien reported on the Independence Day parade and the reading of the Declaration of Independence from the balcony of the Old State House by Captain Commanding COL Stuart Tauber. Thousands of people lined the parade route and gathered at the Old State House and enthusiastically applauded the 125 parading members and COL Tauber's reading of the Declaration.

CWO Christopher Peatridge reported on the visit to the Honorable Artillery Company in London. LT George Morrison and LT Paul Morrill made the trip. The purpose of the visit was to deliver money to the Simon Turner Memorial Fund; \$50,000 was contributed with \$15,000 contributed by members of the AHAC.

Captain Commanding COL Tauber informed the members that arrangements for the 365th FFDTD have been made. Some 108 members and guests have signed up for the trip that departs Boston October 3, 2002. 1st LT William J. O'Brien presented a very descriptive pre-trip report on Budapest, Bratislava, and Vienna.

1st LT William J. O'Brien called the roll of Past Captains present:

262nd	CPT Edward J. Keelan	1971-1972
268th	CPT Robert D. Murphy	1977-1978
269th	MG James A. Lynch, Jr.	1978-1979
278th	BG William P Koughan	1986-1987
283rd	BG Reynold P. Graunas	1991-1992
284th	COL Leonard J. Sacco	1992-1993
285th	COL Ernest C. Caggiano	1993-1994
288th	CPT Paul J. Mahoney	1996-1997
291st	CPT Albert G. Fiorenza	1999-2000
292nd	CPT Louis A. Zuliani	2000-2001
293rd	CPT Joseph C. Benoit	2001-2002

Adjutant Thomas Richter called the roll of the Imperial Sergeants and reported all present or accounted for.

The meeting adjourned at 2015 hours.

Respectfully submitted,
LT Cornelius J. O'Leary
Personnel Adjutant and Clerk

MINUTES OF THE SUMMER MEETING OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE 5 AUGUST 2002

Members Attending: COL Stuart P. Tauber, C.C., Chairman; 1st LT Col William J. O'Brien; 2nd LT Daniel G. May; COL James R. Littleton, Paymaster; CPT Louis A. Zuliani, P.C.; MAJ Michael W. Downing; LT Jerome V. Sweeney; LT Michael Dorn; CPT Domenic Uglietto; LT Cornelius J. O'Leary, Personnel Adjutant and Clerk.

Observers: LT Peter Antell, Judge Advocate

Item 1.0 Minutes of the 10 June 2002 Standing Committee were corrected to properly identify the Observers and to note that the vacation time for the Executive Secretary and Curator is four weeks and not three. Following these corrections the Committee voted to adopt the minutes.

Item 2.0 Paymaster LT Littleton reported that there are presently 105 signed up for the 365th FFDTD.

Item 3.0 Regarding BG William Koughan, P.C. request for refund for 364th FFDTD that he was unable to attend due to family illness. The Chairman directed the Secretary to send CPT Joseph C. Benoit, P.C. information related to this matter. A copy of that letter is attached to these minutes.

Item 4.0 Executive Secretary LTC Consolmagno presented an update on the Company's Web page. Work is progressing nicely on assembling Company information and putting it into a presentation format. The Web page should be on-line by 1 September 2002.

Item 5.0 To ensure that attendance at Company parades and funerals are paid attention to the Committee requested that the Secretary inform the Sergeants 2002-2003 and the Military Support Committee to devise a plan to contact members in advance of such events.

Item 6.0 A letter from SGT Ronald A. Massa regarding the purchasing and wearing of insignia of past Sergeants rank was discussed and the Secretary was requested to follow up with Quartermaster MAJ John Welch. It was also suggested that Paragraph 213 of the Company's R&R's be re-written to correct some of the vagueness.

Item 7.0 The gift of \$180,000 to the Company from deceased member BG Leroy Rioux was discussed with members of the Finance Committee who are responsible for managing the fund so that 50% of future earnings are dispersed in accordance with the terms of the gift. As the plans are developed the Finance Committee will report on progress to the Standing Committee.

2nd LT Daniel May proposed a Membership Recruitment Drive that would be directed at having newer members (0 to 3 years) be involved in a special program that would be supported by Company funds. The Committee consensus is that such a program should be set up. LT May will be working with the Membership Support Committee to work out details of this Recruitment Drive.

Item 8.0 Moving the 2002 Fall Shoot to Devens is moot since plans and commitments have been made to return to Camp Edwards. LTC Merritt Otto, Commander, Devens Reserve Forces Training Area will be contacted about future years Fall Soot.

Item 9.0 Chairman COL Tauber, C.C. adjourned the meeting at 1845 hours.

Respectfully submitted,
LT Cornelius J. O'Leary, Secretary

**COL STUART P. TAUBER
CAPTAIN COMMANDING 2002-2003
NOTICE NO. 2**



HEADQUARTERS

ARMORY, FANEUIL HALL BOSTON, MASS. 02109

23 August 2002

FIRST FALL MEETING

The Company First Fall Meeting will begin at 1930 hours on Tuesday, 3 September 2002, at the Armory. Note to Officers and Sergeants 2002-2003, the summer uniform will be worn at this meeting.

COLLATION AT 1800 HOURS

Commissary Officer LT Paul Mignosa will be presenting a collation beginning at 1800 hours at which prospective members of the Company are welcome. The collation will close at 1915 hours. Guests will be asked to leave the Headquarters before the Regular Meeting of the members is convened. Following the meeting the collation will re-open and guests are welcome.

MILITARY SUPPORT COMMITTEE

BG John W. Carlson, Chairman announces that the Committee will meet from 1730 hours to 1830 hours Monday, 3 September 2002 at the Union Oyster House.

OPERATIONS AND SUPPORT COMMITTEE

CAPT Leo Lazo, Chairman has called a meeting of all Committee members for Tuesday, 3 September 2002, for 1730 hours at the Union Oyster House. This is the first meeting of this new Committee and it is important that all members attend.

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

LT John E. Bradley, Chairman announces that the Committee will meet on Tuesday, 3 September 2002, in the Company library for the purpose of interviewing candidates applying for membership in The Company. The Chairman, Vice Chairman, and Secretary will be in the Summer Uniform. Committee members will wear the Company Blazer, tie and white shirt. If a committee member cannot attend, please call Secretary Barton Hyte at 781-593-0917.

The Committee will interview the following candidates at the times indicated. **Sponsors are reminded to be in the Armory with your applicant by 1745 hours.**

TIME—1800 HOURS

SFC Kevin P. Forbes
Born: 15 March 1938
Res: 21 Eliot St., Watertown
Occ: Fire Prevention &
Construction Safety Officer
Mil. Serv: MAANG, 1961 to 1990
Rank: SGT 1st Class
Spon: BG Frank LaBolitta
Ref: Col Stuart P. Tauber, CC,
MSG Arthur F. Conrad,
BG Joseph T. Anendolare

TIME—1820 HOURS

Keith Muntyan
Born: 24 December 1951
Res: 59 Furnace St, Sharon
Occ: Lawyer Mil. Serv.:
None Rank: None
Spon: SGT Antonio Lorusso, Jr.
Ref: SGT David F. Dorant,
SGT Stephen Stafford, Jr.,
Royal T. Davis

TIME—1840 HOURS

James J. Kirby
Born: 10 July 1951
Res: 55 Stanbro St., Hyde Park
Occ: Building Inspector
Mil. Serv: None
Rank: None
Spon: CPT Elya Schneider
Ref: COL Dominic Uglietto,
LT Robert Tringali,
LT Gerard McCarthy

TIME—1900 HOURS

Erik Mattson Born: 2 July 1967
Res: 42 Prospect St., Woburn
Occ: Actuary
Mil. Serv.: None
Rank: None
Spon: LT Donald J. Madden
Ref: CPT Paul J. Mahoney, P.C.
LTC Francis X. Moran
LT Gerard McCarthy

VOTING ON CANDIDATES FOR MEMBERSHIP

The Membership Committee at its meeting of 5 August 2002 approved the following candidates for membership into the Company and they will be voted on at the Regular Meeting, 3 September 2002. Christian W. Howard - sponsor LT Joseph Howard, CAPT William H. Kelly - sponsor CPT Albert Mundo, Ronald J. Falite - sponsor LT Vincent DeLuca, Raymond S. Falite - sponsor LT Vincent DeLuca.

MEMBERSHIP SUPPORT COMMITTEE

LT Gerard C. McCarthy, Chairman announces a V.I.P. night for sponsors and prospective members will be held in the Armory on 10 September 2002, beginning with a reception at 1830 hours followed by Company presentations at 1930 hours. Members are reminded that recruitment of new members is one of the top priorities of Captain Commanding COL Stuart P. Tauber. To achieve the 2002-2003 goal of 70 new members by 31 May 2003, will require efforts by every member. Remember the date 10 September 2002, "VIP Night" and bring a prospective candidate. Be sure to notify the Executive Secretary with the name and complete mailing address of your guest so that accurate information can be recorded.

365TH FALL FIELD DAY TOUR OF DUTY**BUDAPEST. BRATASLAVA, VIENNA:****THE IMPERIAL TOUR OCTOBER 3RD TO 14TH 2002**

Captain Commanding Tauber has put together an exciting FFDTD that will visit three historical cities of the Austro-Hungarian Empire. These Central European Cities are steeped in history and were the centers of European learning, culture, theatre, farming, mining, and were major players for many centuries on the continent. They came through some tough times in World War II and the Cold War. The people have rebuilt the Cities in magnificent fashion restoring the historically important areas with a blend of modern Central Europe.

Captain Commanding Tauber has received confirmation that US Ambassador Ronald Weiser and Slovak President Rudolf Schuster will be attending the wreath laying ceremony and the 365th FFDTD banquet in Bratislava. The Defense Attaches from The Czech Republic, France, Germany, Hungary, Poland and Britain have also been invited by the US Embassy and are expected to participate.

So, sign up for what will be a great FFDTD in cities with great history and beauty. The cost of the 12-day five star FFDTD is \$3,695.00. Send your full payment to COL James Littleton, Paymaster, 39 Dale Street, Chestnut Hill, MA 02467, and do it today. This is a trip you do not want to miss. SGT Brian Pollack has requested that all members who have signed up for the 365th FFDTD to please return the registration forms he sent out so he can assign the airplane seats as soon as possible.

SERGEANTS BON VOYAGE PARTY

The Imperial Sergeants 2002-2003 will be hosting a party on Thursday, 19 September 2002, at El Pannino's Restaurant, Boston, MA. Watch your mail for details, there will be free parking, gourmet food, entertainment and the \$10,000 raffle.

2001-2002 COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN AND SECRETARY

Gentleman, you are reminded that under Paragraph 307 of the Company's R&R's you are to submit a written report on your Committee's meetings to the Executive Secretary on or before 16 September 2002. Time is of the essence to have these reports in as early as possible so that CPT Joseph C. Benoit, P.C. has them for the Annual Report of his Command Year.

LT CORNELIUS J. O'LEARY
Personnel Adjutant and Clerk

COL STUART P. TAUBER
Captain Commanding



HEADQUARTERS

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MINUTES OF THE 28 OCTOBER 2002 REGULAR MEETING THE THIRD FALL MEETING

- Captain Commanding COL Stuart Tauber opened the meeting at 1930 hours. COL Thomas Richter, Adjutant, led the members in the Pledge of Allegiance. Reverend COL Edward McCabe delivered the invocation.
- There were 160 members present.
- The minutes of the Second Fall meeting were read and accepted.
- CPT Louis A. Zuliani, P.C. read a letter from the Director, Allied Military Museum in Berlin to the Company on how a small town in Northern Germany wrote down their feelings on the terrible attacks in the United States on September 11, 2001. The town's people did this spontaneous outpouring as a sign of solidarity in the fight to defend the basic values of freedom and democracy.
- Discharge request from member David S. Newcombe, MD was read to the Company
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- The Company elected to Regular Membership: COL Bernard A. Flynn, Jr.; Donald D. Schiarizzi; Gerald Cohen; COL Arthur Jewett; Paul M. Lawton; SSGT Eugene D. Fussier, and Theodore A. Sarandis.
- Elected to Membership by Right of Descent were: Phillip A Fazzini, Charles W. Dale, Russell W. Dale, and Kent H. Perry, DDS.
- 1st LT, Col William O'Brien notified the members that the Lieutenants Ball will be held at the Seaport Hotel, Boston, on December 6, 2002. He particularly urged new members to attend with their ladies. He pointed out that this is one of the premier events of the year and should not be missed.

- Major Michael Downing; Chairman of the Permanent Fund reported that the balance of the Fund as of May 31, 2002, was \$2,348,525.
- Anthony Shalna, AHAC Shooting Team Manager reported on the Tri-Color Match Veteran's Division held at Camp Edwards 19 May 2002. The AHAC Team finished 1st in the Pistol Competition and 3rd in the Rifle Competition. The Top Gun Award went to AHAC member David Sutherland.
- 1st LT, COL William O'Brien announced that the estate of Past Captain Commanding Paul J. Tierney made an unrestricted gift to the Company in the amount of \$14,600.
- LT George Morrison informed the members that the 366th FFDTD would be to two countries that the Company has never been to—Scotland and Iceland. The trip dates are tentatively set as 2 October 2003 to 11 October 2003.
- Captain Commanding COL Tauber announced that the Inaugural Committee Chair is BG Joseph A Milano, P.C. and Vice Chair is COL John A Moore, P.C. The Governor's dinner will be held on January 2, 2003.
- 1st LT, COL William O'Brien called the roll of the Past Captains present: MGEN James A. Lynch, Jr., BGEN Joseph a. Milano. BGEN Reynold P. Graunas, COL Leonard J. Sacco, CPT Paul J. Mahoney, COL John A. Moore, CPT Louis A. Zuliani.
- Adjutant COL Richter called the roll of the 2002-2003 Sergeants and reported all present or accounted for.
- The meeting adjourned at 2045 hours.

Respectfully submitted.

LT Cornelius J. O'Leary

Personnel Adjutant and Clerk

MINUTES OF THE 3 SEPTEMBER 2002 REGULAR MEETING THE FIRST FALL MEETING

- Captain Commanding COL Stuart P. Tauber opened the meeting at 1930 hours. Adjutant COL Thomas Richter led the members in the Pledge of Allegiance. BG Reverend Robert Durkee delivered the opening prayer.
- There were 125 members present.
- Elected as Regular Members were: CPT William H. Kelley, Ronald J. Falite, Raymond S. Falite, and Christian Howard.
- LT Gerard McCarthy, Chairman Membership Support Committee provided information on the VIP Night for prospective members 10 September 2002 and indicated that he expects 50 to 60 to attend. He also urged every member to recruit one new member so the Company can achieve 525 Regular Members this year.
- LT George Morrison reported on the London visit, a celebration and Fund Raising Reception at Armoury House, London, for the Elizabeth and William Turner Fund. The AHAC presented a check in the amount of over \$70,000.
- COL Robert Welch, Jr., 1st Sergeant of Infantry provided information on the Sergeants Bon Voyage Party 19 September 2002, Il Pannino's Restaurant, Franklin Street, Boston.
- COL James Littleton, Paymaster, SGT Brian Polack and Captain COL Tauber addressed the members on administrative matters related to the 365th FFDTD to Budapest, Bratislava and Vienna.
- 1st LT, COL William O'Brien called the roll of the Past Captains present: CPT Robert D. Murphy, P.C.; LTC M. Joseph DeMatteo, P.C.; BGEN Joseph A. Milano, P.C.; BGEN Reynold P. Graunas, P.C.; COL Leonard J. Sacco, P.C.; COL Ernest C. Caggiano, P.C.; CPT Roy S. Chase, P.C.; COL Richard A. Luccio, P.C.; CPT Louis A. Zuliani, P.C.; CPT Joseph C. Benoit, P.C.
- Adjutant COL Richter called the roll of the Sergeants.
- Reported all present or accounted for.
- Meeting was adjourned at 2040 hours.

MINUTES OF THE FIRST FALL MEETING OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE 3 SEPTEMBER 2002

Members Attending: COL Stuart P. Tauber, C.C., Chairman; 1st LT COL William J. O'Brien; 2nd LT Daniel G. May; COL James R. Littleton, Paymaster; CPT Louis A. Zuliani, P.C.; LT Michael Dorn; MAJ Michael Downing; LT Jerome Sweeney; CPT Dominic Uglietto; LT Cornelius J. O'Leary, Personnel Adjutant and Clerk.

Observers: LT George Morrison, LT Paul Morrill, LT Peter Antell, Judge Advocate

Item 1.0 Minutes of the 5 August meeting were accepted without amendment.

Item 2.0 COL Littleton, Paymaster reported that 9 Life Members and 30 Regular Members have not paid the 2002-2003 Assessment. He also reported that 112 Members and guests have signed up for the 365th FFDTD.

Item 3.0: The Committee discussed CPT Joseph C. Benoit, P.C. response to the matter of a refund to BG William Koughan, P.C. for his deposit for the 364th FFDTD. Following the discussion, COL Tauber, C.C., Chairman, directed the Secretary of the Committee to send a follow up letter to CPT Benoit, P.C. A copy of the letter is enclosed.

Item 4.0: LTC Donald Consolmagno, Executive Secretary presented an update on the Company's Web site. The web site/domain name has been acquired. The name is "ahacsite.org." The set up of the site is progressing and should be a reality before the December 31, 2002 deadline. A copy of LTC Consolmagno's report is enclosed.

Item 5.0: The Committee voted to grant BG Kenneth H. Pascoe re-enrollment and Non-resident member status since his legal address is now 18460 SE Wood Haven Lane, Tequesta, FL 33469.

Item 6.0 New Business: The Committee by vote directed that the Company's Sexual Harassment Policy be sent to the membership by mail as early as is practicable. The Committee's Secretary will so inform the Executive Secretary.

The matter of billings for the 2002-2003 Assessment for members elected between March 31st and May 31st of 2002 was discussed. The Executive Secretary informs the Committee that nine Regular Members will be billed for the 2002-2003 Assessment.

The Committee adjourned at 1845 hours.

Respectfully submitted,
LT Cornelius J. O'Leary, Secretary
The Standing Committee

MINUTES OF THE 16 SEPTEMBER 2002 REGULAR MEETING THE SECOND FALL MEETING

- Captain Commanding COL Stuart P. Tauber opened the meeting at 1930 hours. Adjutant COL Thomas Richter led the members in the Pledge of Allegiance. BG Robert Durkee delivered the opening prayer.
- There were 151 members present.
- The minutes of the First fall Meeting were accepted without change.
- LT Gerard Sweeney presented the 2001-2002 Annual Report of the Finance Committee and placed on file with the Executive Secretary.
- LT Gerard McCarthy reported on the VIP Night for prospective members and stated that there were 85 in attendance.
- 1st SGT Robert Welch, Jr. reminded the members on the Bon Voyage Party to be held on 19 September at Il Paninno's, Franklin St., Boston.
- SFC Laurence Hogan presented eight newly elected and trained members for the Administration of the Company's oath. Adjutant COL Richter administered the oath.
- Candidates Keith Muntyn and SFC Kevin P. Forbes were elected to membership.
- Captain Commanding Tauber announced that the Company has been invited to the Commissioning ceremony for the USS Preble on November 9, 2002 at Pier 4, Boston.
- 1st LT William O'Brien called the role of Past Captains present: BG Robert L. Marr, P.C.; CPT Robert D. Murphy, P.C.; LTC M. Joseph DeMatteo, P.C.; BG Joseph A. Milano, P.C.; BG Reynold P. Graunas, P.C.; COL Leonard J. Sacco, P.C.; LTC Ernest C. Caggino, P.C.; CPT Paul J. Mahoney, P.C.; COL John A. Moore, P.C.; and CPT Louis A. Zuliani, P.C.
- Adjutant COL Richter called the roll of the Sergeants and reported all present or accounted for.
- Captain Commanding COL Tauber adjourned the meeting at 2020 hours.

Respectfully submitted,
LT Cornelius J. O'Leary, Personnel Adjutant and Clerk

STANDING COMMITTEE

The Committee will meet at Headquarters at 1715 hours on Monday, 16 September 2002.

AGENDA

- 1.0 Motion to accept minutes of 3 September 2002. Corrections, additions deletions?
- 2.0 Report of the Paymaster on posting of delinquent members in the Armory (Rule 114p). Number paid in full for the 365th FFDTD.
- 3.0 Letter to CPT Joseph C. Benoit, P.C. regarding refund to BG William Koughan, P.C. for 364th FFDTD deposit.
- 4.0 New Business
- 5.0 Adjourn

MINUTES OF THE SECOND FALL MEETING OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE 16 SEPTEMBER 2002

Members Attending: COL Stuart P. Tauber, C.C., Chairman; 1st LT William J. O'Brien; 2nd LT Daniel G. May; COL James R. Littleton, Paymaster; CPT Louis A. Zuliani, P.C.; MAJ Michael Downing; LT Jerome Sweeney; CPT Dominic Uglietto; LT Cornelius O'Leary, Personnel Adjutant and Clerk.

Observers: LT George Morrison, LT Paul Morrill, LT Peter Antell, Judge Advocate.

Item 1.0 Minutes of the 3 September 2002 meeting were accepted without change.

Item 2.0 COL Littleton, Paymaster, reported that four life members and 21 regular members have not paid the 2002-2003 Annual Assessment and that registered letters were mailed to notify them that they have 30 days to remit payment.

Item 3.0 CPT Joseph Benoit, P.C. response to the Committee's letter was discussed and it was determined that the information was adequate to proceed with the reimbursement to BG William Koughan, P.C.

Related to this matter was a discussion of possible future FFDTD cancellations and what should be the Company policy. There was consensus that, if such an event should occur in the future, the process would begin anew starting with the Finance Committee before any Company commitments are made. Meeting adjourned at 1805 hours.

Note: Enclosed are copies of the Company's Sexual Harassment Policy that will be sent to the membership as directed by the Committee at the 3 September 2002 meeting. The format may be different but the contents will be the same.

Also enclosed is a copy of the tracking system on new applicants.

Respectfully submitted,
LT Cornelius J. O'Leary, Secretary

MINUTES OF THE 28 OCTOBER 2002 REGULAR MEETING THE THIRD FALL MEETING

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LT Cornelius J. O'Leary

Personnel Adjutant and Clerk

STANDING COMMITTEE

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- 2.0 Paymaster report.
- 3.0 Status of trip refund to BG William Koughan, P.C.
- 4.0 Status of Web site – LTC Donald Consolmagno
- 5.0 Discharges and Furloughs
- 6.0 Commissioning ceremony 9 November 2002 USS Preble
- 7.0 Membership count
- 8.0 365th FFDTD wrap-up
- 9.0 14 November 2002 Guest Speaker
- 10.0 New Business
- 11.0 Adjourn

**MINUTES OF THE THIRD FALL MEETING
OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE 28 OCTOBER 2002**

Members Attending: COL Stuart P. Tauber, C.C. and Chairman; 1st LT William J. O'Brien; COL James R. Littleton, Paymaster; CPT Louis A. Zuliani, P.C.; MAJ Michael Downing; LT Jerome Sweeney; CPT Domenic Uglietto; LT Cornelius O'Leary, Personnel Adjutant and Clerk.

Observers: LT George Morrison; LT Paul Morrill

Item 1.0 Minutes of the 16 September 2002 meeting accepted as read.

Item 2.0 COL Littleton, Paymaster, indicated that two Life Members have been dropped from the Company roster for non-payment of the 2002-2003 Assessment. There are thirteen Regular Members who have not paid and have received a second letter via certified mail that unless payment is received they will be dropped from the Company roster 13 January 2003.

Item 3.0 BG Koughan's refund will be issued the week of 3 November 2002.

Item 4.0 Executive Secretary LTC Consolmagno reported that the Company's web site would be accessible on Monday, 4 November 2002.

The web page URL is <http://www.ahacsite.org>

The password for the member-only page is: **AHAC1638**

Members will be notified via e-mail of the Company's URL and password.

Item 5.0 Voted to transfer CPT Kenneth Wisniewski to inactive status while he is on active military duty. CPT notified by LT O'Leary via e-mail.

Item 6.0 Commissioning of USS Preble 9 November 2002. Uniform-Company blazer and tie to be worn to the Commissioning and to the reception at the Armory 5:00 to 7:00PM for the crew of the USS Preble. Committee members are expected to attend both events.

Item 7.0 Membership Count. 469 Regular; 216 Life; 140 Senior and 9 Honorary.

Item 8.0 365th FFDTD wrap up postponed

Item 9.0 14 November 2002 Military Lecture Series 1800 hours author Rick Atkinson, Guest Speaker "An Army at Dawn" – Volume One of the Liberation Trilogy.

Item 10.0 NEW Business The Paul J. Tierney, P.C. estate donated more than \$14,000 to the Company as an unrestricted gift to be used for the good of the Company.

Discussion about the Company marching in the City of Boston Saint Patrick/Evacuation Day parade on March 16, 2003.

The Personnel Adjutant will present the names of sponsors and references of candidates that have exceeded the limits to the Standing Committee for a waiver from the regulatory requirement.

Respectfully submitted,
LT Cornelius J. O'Leary, Secretary

MINUTES OF THE 13 JANUARY 2003 REGULAR MEETING THE FIRST WINTER MEETING

- 1st LT, COL William J. O'Brien, acting Captain Commanding, opened the meeting at 1930 hours. COL Thomas Richter, Adjutant, led the members in the Pledge of Allegiance. Reverend BG David Mahan delivered the invocation.
- The *In Memoriam* roll call was read for members SGT Robert H. Johnson, LT Francis P. Cullen, COL Paul B. Robison, LT Paul Tocci, LT Frederick J. Casey
- There were 100 members present.
- The minutes of the Third Fall Meeting held on 28 October 2002 were read and accepted.
- COL Richter, Adjutant, administered the oath to six new members.
- The Company elected to Regular Membership: BG Gary Pappas, Eric Sigillo, Frederick Pucillo, Robert Engel, Charles MacDonald, Barry F. Collins, Jr.
- Elected to Membership by Right of Descent were: Larry Lieper from member Edward Larkin, Gary Parrott from member Matthew Bridge, Verle Bresson from member William Robinson, Philip Greene from member Ralph Sprague.
- CPT Angelo Sciarratta, President Ten of US, reminded the members that the Valentine's Day Dinner and Dance would be held on February 14, 2003 at Lombardo's in Randolph. The cost for a gala evening is \$65.00 per person. Hotel rooms are available at the Holiday Inn, Randolph (1-800-465-4329, Code AHA). The rate is \$94.00 and make your reservations before February 11, 2003.
- CPT Sciarratta announced that the Man of the Year award will be held on April 9, 2003 and that this year he is BG Robert Durkee, one of our Chaplains.
- 1st LT, COL William J. O'Brien reminded the members that the Presidents Day Luncheon will be held on February 17, 2003 in the Armory.

- 1st LT, COL William O'Brien informed the members that the Company will be marching on March 17, 2003 in the St. Patricks/ Evacuation Day Parade in South Boston. Reserve the date to make our Company's participation and presence an experience that you will want to remember.
- 2nd LT Daniel May called the roll of the Past Captains present, BG Reynold P. Graunas and CPT Louis A. Zuliani
- COL Thomas Richter, Adjutant, called the roll of the Sergeants and reported all present or accounted for.
- The meeting adjourned at 2000 hours.

Respectfully submitted.
LT Cornelius J. O'Leary
Personnel Adjutant and Clerk

MINUTES OF THE FIRST WINTER MEETING OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE 13 JANUARY 2003

Members Attending: 1st LT William J. O'Brien, Acting Captain Commanding; 2nd LT Daniel G. May; COL James R. Littleton, Paymaster; CPT Louis A. Zuliani, P.C.; MAJ Michael Downing; LT Jerome Sweeney; CPT Domenic Uglietto; LT Michael Dorn; LT Cornelius O'Leary, Personnel Adjutant and Clerk.

Observers: LT George Morrison; LT Paul Morrill

Item 1.0 Minutes of the 28 October meeting were read and adopted with a change in the members present to include LT Michael Dorn.

Item 2.0 COL Littleton, Paymaster, indicated that members Herbert Duane and Frank Viola are to be dropped from the Company roster for non-payment of the 2002-2003 Assessment on January 31, 2003. The Secretary will send them a letter reflecting this vote of the Standing Committee. There are eleven Regular Members who have not paid the 2002-2003 Assessment. After a vote, The Standing Committee directed the Secretary to notify these regular members of the Committee's action and that they have until March 31, 2003, to pay the assessment or to be disenrolled.

Item 3.0 At 1800 hours a hearing was held on a proposition to amend Rule 318 Duties of the Trustees. The hearing was convened at 1800 hours and 1st LT William J. O'Brien was the hearing officer. The proposition offered by member LT Joseph Analetto was read into the record. To wit "Rule 318b: After the second sentence add: At the beginning of each fiscal quarter, the Board shall provide the Company with a written report regarding meetings held by the Board during the preceding quarter, recognizing that Permanent Fund fiscal quarters end on May 31, August 31, November 30, and February 28/29 respectively."

Appearing at the hearing was proponent LT Joseph Analetto. He offered that his proposition would allow the membership to receive up-to-date information regarding the business of the Board during the current Company year rather than waiting until the second Monday in September of the following Company year.

No other members of the Company appeared as proponents or opponents at the hearing.

Following the hearing the Committee went into Executive Session to consider the testimony. The Committee deliberated before making a recommendation on the merits of the proposition to the membership and to present the rationale for the Committee's recommendation.

Recommendation: The Standing Committee recommends a NO vote on this proposition to amend Rule 318 Duties of the Trustees.

Rationale: Reporting to the membership on the financial activities of the Permanent Fund are presently filed with the Executive Secretary on a monthly basis by the Company's financial investment firm and are available to be examined by each member. In addition, the annual audit report of the Company's investment portfolio is filed with the Executive Secretary. The members of the Permanent Fund meet quarterly and the minutes of those meetings are maintained by the Company's Executive Secretary.

Item 4.0 Under New Business, the Committee considered the update of the revised version of short presentation of the Company's history. This is what is referred to as the pocket version. The consensus of the Committee was that this is a document that enhances the reputation of the Company, As such the Committee supports making 5,000 copies, depending on funding.

Respectfully submitted,
LT Cornelius J. O'Leary, Secretary



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ARMORY, FANEUIL HALL

BOSTON, MASS 02109

MINUTES OF THE SECOND WINTER MEETING OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE 10 FEBRUARY 2003

Members Attending: Captain Commanding COL Stuart P. Tauber; 1st LT William J. O'Brien; 2nd LT Daniel G. May; COL James R. Littleton, Paymaster; MAJ Michael Downing; LT Jerome Sweeney; CDR Redmond L. Clevenger, Personnel Sergeant, acting Personnel Adjutant and Clerk.

Observers: LT George Morrison; LT Paul Morrill; LTC M. Joseph DeMatteo, P.C.

Item 1.0 Proposed Rules changes to be read at the Regular meeting were reviewed,

- a. Personnel Adjutant and Clerk will research:
 1. The rule on uniform as to the requirement for rain coats.
 2. Need for amending rule 313F to provide for trip reductions for the three chaplains by deleting one Assistant Surgeon and adding the third Chaplain.

Item 2.0 COL Littleton, Paymaster, indicated the following Regular Members who may be dropped for non-payment of the 2002-2003 Assessment on January 31, 2003:

Joseph Bean	William Doherty
Warren Blair. III	Robert Hoar
Christopher Cavallo	Joseph Materia
Joseph Coffey	James McLean

Regular Member After 31 March 2003:

Timothy J. Holleran

Life Member:

MINUTES OF 10 FEBRUARY 2003 REGULAR MEETING THE SECOND WINTER MEETING

- Captain Commanding, COL Stuart P. Tauber, opened the meeting at 1930 hours. COL Thomas Richter, Adjutant, led the members in the Pledge of Allegiance. MSGT Gerard F. Kelley delivered the invocation.
- The In Memoriam roll call was read for members JAMES J. DUFFY, LT FRANK J. DRAGONE, BG JOHN C. DOLAN and COL JAMES L. McCOY.
- There were 80 members present.
- The minutes of the First Winter Meeting held on 13 January 2003 were not read.
- COL Richter, Adjutant, administered the oath to eight new members.
- The Company elected to Regular Membership: Paul J. Crehan, Craig A. Spadafora, Paul D. McDonough, Donald J. O'Sullivan and LTC Anthony M. Pasqualone.
- All proposed Rules changes were read to the members present.
- 2nd LT Daniel G. May read the proposition to amend Rule 318b, Duties of the Trustees, by adding after the second sentence: "At the beginning of each fiscal quarter, the Board shall provide the Company with a written report regarding meetings held by the Board during the preceding fiscal quarter, recognizing that Permanent Fund fiscal quarters end on May 31, August 31, November 30 and February 28/29 respectively." 1st LT William J. O'Brien reported the result of the Standing Committee hearing held on 13 January 2003 as a "**NO**" recommendation and provided the reasons therefore. The proposition **FAILED TO PASS** the vote of the members present.
- LTC M. Joseph DeMatteo, Jr., P.C., COS, reported on 365th FFDTD 3-14 October 2002.
- LT George Morrison on the Royal Visit to the HAC, London, England, on 11 December 2002, which was attended by Captain Commanding COL Stuart P. Tauber and LT George Morrison.

- BG Frank LaBollita reported on the Military Lecture of 14 November 2002 Pulitzer Prize winning author, Rick Atkinson, who discussed his new book *An Army at Dawn*.
- CAPT Edmund J. Rainsford reported on the AHAC participation in Lincoln Birthday Celebration in Hingham, MA on 8 February 2003 at which AHAC's SFC Robert D. Hall, Jr., Deputy Commissioner, Veterans Affairs, Commonwealth of Massachusetts was the Speaker of the Day.
- LT Gerard C. McCarthy announced that the next VIP meeting will be on 12 March 2003 and urged all members to bring a prospective member to this last VIP night of the year 2002-2003.
- BG Reynold P. Graunas, P.C., reminded the members that the Ten of US Valentine's Day Dinner and Dance would be held on February 14, 2003 at Lombardo's in Randolph. The cost for a gala evening is \$65.00 per person. Hotel rooms are available at the Holiday Inn, Randolph (1-800-465-4329, Code AHA). The rate is \$94.00 and make your reservations before February 11, 2003.
- BG Reynold P. Graunas, P.C., announced that the Man of the Year award will be held on April 9, 2003 and that this year he is BG Robert Durkee, one of our Chaplains.
- Captain Commanding, COL Stuart P. Tauber reminded the members that the Presidents Day Luncheon will be held on February 17, 2003 in the Armory and that the Governor of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts will attend.
- Captain Commanding, COL Stuart P. Tauber announced that the annual AHAC/USO fund raiser will be on 10 March in the Armory and urged all to attend to support the major event.
- Captain Commanding, COL Stuart P. Tauber informed the members that the Company will be marching on March 16, 2003 in the St. Patrick's / Evacuation Day Parade in South Boston. Reserve the date to make our Company's participation and presence an experience that you will want to remember. There is a collation after the event at a location to be determined.

- 1st LT William J. O'Brien called the roll of the Past Captains present, 280th LTC M. Joseph DeMatteo; 281st BG Joseph A. Milano; 283rd BG Reynold P. Graunas; 284th COL Leonard J. Sacco and 288th CPT Paul J. Mahoney.
- COL Thomas Richter, Adjutant, called the roll of the Sergeants and reported all present or accounted for.
- The meeting adjourned at 2030.

Respectfully submitted.

CDR Redmond L. Clevenger

Personnel Sergeant

MINUTES OF THE SECOND WINTER MEETING OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE 10 FEBRUARY 2003

Members Attending: Captain Commanding COL Stuart P. Tauber; 1st LT William J. O'Brien; 2nd LT Daniel G. May; COL James R. Littleton, Paymaster; MAJ Michael Downing; LT Jerome Sweeney; CDR Redmond L. Clevenger, Personnel Sergeant, acting Personnel Adjutant and Clerk.

Observers: LT George Morrison; LT Paul Morrill; LTC M. Joseph DeMatteo, P.C.

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William Doherty
Robert Hoar
William Horan
Joseph Materia
James McLean

Regular Member After 31 March 2003:

Timothy J. Holleran

Life Member:

Frank Viola

The Secretary will notify these members to pay the assessment by March 31, 2003, or they will be dis-enrolled; their names will be published in the next meeting notice and read at the next meeting.

Item 3.0 Under New Business, LTC Donald L. Consolmagno, Executive Secretary, submitted his letter of resignation effective 3 June 2003.

A Search Committee consisting of three Standing Committee Members, MAJ Michael Downing, LT Jerome Sweeney and LT Michael Dorn, were appointed to find a new Executive Secretary. The Secretary will post the position to be filled.

Item 4.0 Under New Business, June Day preparations to include having a reception at the hotel at 1200 on the day of the banquet.

Item 5.0 A motion was made by LT Jerome Sweeney and seconded by 1st LT William J. O'Brien to waive the six days that SGT Frank Magaletta is short of the five years required for a staff appointment. The motion passed.

Item 6.0 BG Carlson briefed the committee on the Military Support Committee rules change proposal regarding limiting the number AHAC ribbons to be worn.

Item 7.0 A request has been received from the Women Descendants of Ancients to be a part of the 100th anniversary of the HAC visit activities. LTC M. Joseph DeMatteo, P.C., took action to invite them to attend the church services on June Day.

Item 8.0 National Guard Hockey Team is looking for sponsors.

Item 9.0 LT Jerome Sweeney requested that a listing of up-coming events be listed in each Drumhead and meeting notice.

Respectfully submitted,
CDR Redmond L. Clevenger
Acting Secretary



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STANDING COMMITTEE

The Committee will meet at 1715 hours on Monday 7 April 2003 in the Captain's quarters.

AGENDA

- 1.0 Motion to accept minutes of 10 February 2003
- 2.0 Report of the Paymaster on members who have not paid 2002-2003 assessment
- 3.0 Report of the search Committee to hire an Executive Secretary
- 4.0 22 April hearing protocol for testimony on changes to R&Rs
- 5.0 Patriots Day weekend events
- 6.0 Salem Militia Day
- 7.0 New Business

ANNIVERSARY COMMITTEE

The Anniversary Committee will meet from 1815 to 1845 hours in the Captain's quarters. It is important that all committee members attend and be prepared to discuss their responsibilities and plans.

The Committee: COL Tauber; LT O'Brien; LT May; COL Richter; MAJ Welch; COL Littleton; LT Mignosa; LT O'Leary; LTC DeMatteo, P.C.; LTC Consolmagno.

Observers: LT Morrison, Lt Morrill. LT Antell

**MINUTES OF 7 APRIL 2003 REGULAR MEETING
THE FIRST SPRING MEETING**

- Captain Commanding COL Stuart Tauber opened the meeting at 1930 hours. Adjutant, COL Thomas Richter led the members in the Pledge of Allegiance. Reverend BG Edward Durkee delivered the invocation.
- In Memoriam roll call for member Lt Charles Bishop.
- There were 98 members present
- The minutes of the 10 February Regular Meeting were read and accepted.
- Honorable Discharge request from Charles F. Dalton, Jr. was read. The Discharge will be effective 22 April 2003.
- BG Rudi Peksens was elected to membership. Wayne J. Rogers was elected a member by Right of Descent from John Johnson, 1638-1640; Walter W. John was elected a member by Right of descent from Atherton Hough, 1643-1644.
- LT Jerome Sweeney, Chairman, Finance Committee, made a motion concerning the 2003-2004 Assessments: for Regular Members – \$615.00; for Life Members – \$205.00; for Non-Resident Members – \$205.00; for Senior Life Members – \$100.00 (If attending June Day); and for Guests attending June Day – \$100.00. The motion was seconded and voted upon unanimously.
- Reports were read on the following events and are on file.
- Boston St. Patrick's Day Parade – LT George Morrison
- Governor Romney's Inauguration – LT Jerome Sweeney
- Army Reserve Officer Training Corps Awards –
CAPT Edmund Rainsford
- Captain Commanding COL Tauber announced that the Company would be participating in the Salem, MA Muster & parade on 19 April; the Boston and Lexington Patriots Day parades on 21 April. Parade Orders to be issued.

- 1st LT William O'Brien called the roll of Past Captains Present: BG Robert L. Marr, LTC M. Joseph DeMatteo, BG Reynold P. Graunas, COL Leonard Saco, CPT Paul Mahoney and CPT Louis Zuliani.
- Adjutant COL Richter called the roll of the Sergeants and reported all present or accounted for.
- The meeting was adjourned at 2040 hours

Respectfully submitted,
LT Cornelius J. O'Leary
Personnel Adjutant and Clerk

MINUTES OF THE FIRST SPRING MEETING OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE 7 APRIL 2003

Members Attending: COL Stuart Tauber, CC; 1st LT William J. O'Brien; 2nd LT Daniel G. May; MAJ Michael Downing; LT Jerome Sweeney; CPT Louis Zuliani, P.C.; LTC M. Joseph DeMatteo, P.C.; LT Cornelius O'Leary; LT Michael Dorn.

Observers: LT George Morrison; LT Paul Morrill; LT Peter Antell.

Item 1.0 Minutes of Standing Committee meeting of 10 February 2003 were accepted.

Item 2.0 Status of non-paying members of 2002-2003 Assessment tabled.

Item 3.0 The search Committee reported that there were two applicants for the Executive Secretary position. Committee recommended and the Committee approved that a job announcement be sent to all members to solicit applications with a closing date of 17 April 2003. The Personnel Adjutant was directed to prepare the flyer.

Item 4.0 Discussion of procedure to be followed for 22 April 2003 hearing on propositions to change Company R&Rs, particularly as to amendments to changes submitted.

Item 5.0 Patriots Day parades in Boston and Lexington — discussion of parade orders and attendance.

Item 6.0 Salem Muster and parade arrangements to be sent to every member.

Item 7.0 Member Christopher Ryder was approved for non-resident membership.

Meeting adjourned to go into a meeting of the Anniversary Committee at 1845 hours.

MINUTES OF 22 APRIL 2003 REGULAR MEETING THE SECOND SPRING MEETING

- Captain Commanding COL Stuart Tauber opened the meeting at 1930 hours. Adjutant COL Thomas Richter led the members in the Pledge of Allegiance. CPT Robert Sheehan delivered the invocation.
- There were 123 members present.
- The minutes of the 7 April 2003 Regular Meeting were read and accepted.
- The members elected to Regular Membership: Scott C. Dow, Michael R. Horan, Michael C. Cullen, and John Shipala.
- CPT Louis Zuliani, P.C., presented a United States Military Memorial document that commemorates our Company's wreath laying ceremony at the Sicily-Rome American Cemetery at Nettuno, Italy where some 500 of the 8,000 in this hallowed place are from Massachusetts. The Military Museum and Library Committee Chair GEN Charles Forman accepted the commemorative on behalf of the Company.
- CDR Robert Gillen presented a "ships plank" to the Company from the Officers and Crew of the USS Preble on the occasion of the Commissioning in November 2002. The presentation to the Company signifies the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company as "Honorary Plank Holders," a significant and memorable designation by the US Navy that makes the Company part of the Preble.
- 1st LT William O'Brien called the roll of the Past Captains present: CPT Robert Murphy, BG Joseph Milano, CPT Paul Mahoney, CPT Louis Zuliani and CPT Joseph Benoit.
- Adjutant COL Richter called the roll of the Sergeants and reported all present or accounted for.
- The meeting was adjourned at 2000 hours.

Respectfully submitted,
LT Cornelius J. O'Leary
Personnel Adjutant and Clerk

**MINUTES OF THE SECOND SPRING MEETING
OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE 22 APRIL 2003**

Members attending: COL Stuart Tauber, Captain Commanding; 1st LT COL William O'Brien; 2nd LT Daniel May; MAJ Michael Downing; LT Jerome Sweeney; CPT Louis Zuliani, P.C.; LT Michael Dorn; COL James Littleton; LT Cornelius O'Leary.

Observers: LT George Morrison, LT Paul Morrill and LT Peter Antell

Item 1.0 LT Jerome Sweeney reported that at the present time there was no candidate for the Executive Secretary position. However the Search Committee was entertaining splitting the 40 hours between two individuals as an interim solution to at least June Day. After that time the incoming Captain Commanding will have to act on the Executive Secretary and Curator positions at his first meeting in mid-June.

The Search Committee put forth that they would like the approval of the Standing Committee to discuss the above arrangement with two members who have expressed an interest in sharing the duties and coverage, namely, SGT Stephen DaCorta and MAJ Robert MacGuire. Additionally, the Committee has had talks with CDR Richard Pelosi about helping out part time with some of the Executive Secretary duties.

Matters of compensation was recommended to be increased to \$38,000 per annum, work hours 40 hours per week, transportation at \$200 per month, vacation at 4 weeks per year, Company annual Assessment forgiven for a member. These benefits would be halved if two people were engaged. CPT Louis Zuliani, P.C., made a motion to accept these benefits, it was duly seconded and voted unanimously by the Standing Committee.

The Search Committee was directed to contact aforementioned members and begin negotiations.

LT Daniel May made a motion to compensate CDR Pelosi according to hours worked at a rate equal to that of the recent Executive Secretary.

Item 2.0 The Minutes of 7 April were corrected to include the waivers granted to permit members James Nally and Stuart Dudley to run for Sergeant 2003-2004, and the five-year sponsor time was waived. With these corrections the minutes were accepted.

Committee adjourned to conduct a hearing on propositions to Company Rules and Regulations at 1800 hours

Respectfully submitted:
Lt Cornelius O'Leary, Secretary

MINUTES OF THE THIRD SPRING MEETING OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE 5 MAY 2003

Members attending: Captain Commanding COL Stuart Tauber, Chairman; 1st LT COL William O'Brien; 2nd LT Daniel May; MAJ Michael Downing; LT Jerome Sweeney; CPT Louis Zuliani, P.C.; COL James Littleton, Paymaster; LT Cornelius O'Leary; LT Michael Dorn.

Observers: LT George Morrison, LT Paul Morrill, LT Peter Antell
Meeting was to order at 1715 hours.

Item 1.0 The minutes of the 22 April meeting were accepted.

Item 2.0 LT Jerome Sweeney informed the Committee that member MAJ Robert McGuire started as the interim Executive Secretary this date. He will be working full time through the end of June at which time SGT Stephen DaCorta will begin sharing the duties. Beginning in July there will be two sharing the duties 20 hour each per week. Other matters relating to employment were discussed.

New Business: LT Jerry Sweeney, vice president of the TEN OF US, informed the Committee that they will be the group sponsoring and running the clambake on Sunday, June 1, 2003, for the members of the Honorable Artillery Company and Ancients at Camp Curtis Guild in Reading. The Committee adjourned at 1800 hours.

Respectfully submitted,
LT Cornelius O'Leary, Secretary

MINUTES OF 5 MAY 2003 REGULAR MEETING THE THIRD SPRING MEETING NOMINATIONS

- Captain Commanding COL Stuart Tauber opened the meeting at 1930 hours. Adjutant COL Thomas Richter led the Company in the Pledge of Allegiance. BG Reverend Robert Durkee delivered the invocation.
- Death Roll was read for SSGT Julio J. Farulla and for LT Arthur F. "Skip" diNatale, members rendered a hand salute while the bugler played Taps.
- Sick report announced that member LT Paul Covell was recovering at home after suffering a broken shoulder.
- Minutes of the 22 April 2003 meeting were read, a motion to accept was made and the minutes were accepted by voice vote.
- 177 members were in attendance.
- Elected to Regular Membership were: CDR Francis S. Pierce, USN (Ret), Eric Mattson, MAJ Richard A. Foley and MAJ Joseph Finnegan.
- Upon a motion by the senior Past Captain present, Robert D. Murphy, seconded and voted upon favorably. The Company went into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of receiving nominations for the year 2003 – 2004 for elected officers, sergeants, committee memberships as prescribed by Company Rule with 1st LT COL William J. O'Brien, Chairman. Additionally, propositions to Company Rules and Regulations and Standing Committee were presented and discussed by the members present. Nominations & Changes to R&Rs attached.
- Following the Nominations and discussion on propositions to the Company Rules and Regulations, Past Captain Robert D. Murphy moved that the Committee of the Whole be recessed until 12 May 2003, election night. The motion was seconded and voted upon favorably and Chairman 1st LT COL O'Brien recessed the Committee of the Whole.
- Regular meeting was re-convened by COL Tauber
- 1st LT Col William O'Brien called the roll of the Past Captains present.

- Adjutant COL Richter called the roll of the Sergeants and reported all present or accounted for.
- Regular meeting adjourned at 2115 hours

Respectfully submitted,
LT Cornelius J. O'Leary
Personnel Adjutant and Clerk



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MINUTES OF THE THIRD SPRING MEETING OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE 5 MAY 2003

Members attending: Captain Commanding COL Stuart Tauber, Chairman; 1st LT COL William O'Brien; 2nd LT Daniel May; MAJ Michael Downing; LT Jerome Sweeney; CPT Louis Zuliani, P.C.; COL James Littleton, Paymaster; LT Cornelius O'Leary; LT Michael Dorn.

Observers: LT George Morrison, LT Paul Morrill and LT Peter Antell.
Meeting was called to order at 1715 hours.

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IMPORTANT STANDING COMMITTEE MEETING

MONDAY, 5 MAY 2003 AT 5:15 PM

Item 1.0 Accept minutes of 22 April 2003 meeting

Item 2.0 Status on hiring an Executive Secretary

Item 3.0 New Business

ANNIVERSARY COMMITTEE MEETING

Starting promptly at 5: 30 PM on Monday, 5 May 2003, all Committee members must be present. Schedule of events for June Day weekend will be presented. Date, time, location and who is involved is on the agenda. Time is of the essence, so be on time. This is nomination night, so we will have to move through the items very quickly.

MINUTES OF 12 MAY 2003 REGULAR MEETING THE FOURTH SPRING MEETING ELECTIONS

- 1st LT COL William J. O'Brien opened the meeting at 1730 hours.
- 1st LT COL O'Brien called upon senior Past Captain present, BG Robert L. Marr, who made a motion that the Company go into the Committee of the Whole for the Company to vote on 2003-2004 ballot items. The motion was seconded and duly voted and 1st LT O'Brien opened the Committee of the Whole by voting first.
- At 2030 hours BG Robert L. Marr, P.C. made the motion to adjourn the Committee of the Whole. It was seconded and voted. 1st LT O'Brien promptly adjourned the Committee
- The Regular Meeting was re-convened by Captain Commanding, COL Stuart P. Tauber. COL Rabbi Alvin L. Lieberman delivered the invocation. Adjutant COL Thomas Richter led the Company in the Pledge of Allegiance.
- COL Tauber called upon LT George M. Morrison for a status on the June Day arrangements and in particular the evening at the Boston Pops on Saturday, 31 May 2003. LT Morrison reported that events were going according to the plan and that the Pops were nearly sold out.
- The Regular Meeting was recessed pending the election results.
- The election results were announced and will be published in the Company's Notice #12.
- 1st LT COL O'Brien called the roll of the Past Captains present: BG Robert L. Marr, CPT Robert D. Murphy, CPT J. Barry Driscoll, BG Joseph S. Loughman, COL Sylvester A. Ray, BG William P. Koughan, LTC M. Joseph DeMatteo, BG Joseph A. Milano, BG Reynold P. Graunas, COL Leonard J. Saco, LTC Ernest C. Caggiano, COL John F. McNulty, CPT Roy S. Chase, CPT Paul J. Mahoney, CPT Louis A. Zuliani, CPT Joseph C. Benoit

- Adjutant COL Richter called the roll of Sergeants and reported all present or accounted for.
- Meeting adjourned at 2125 hours

Respectfully Submitted,
LT Cornelius O'Leary
Personnel Adjutant and Clerk

MINUTES OF STANDING COMMITTEE EMERGENCY MEETING TUESDAY, 20 MAY 2003

ATTENDING: Col Stuart P. Tauber, Chairman; 1st LT COL William J. O'Brien; 2nd LT Daniel G. May; COL James R. Littleton; LT Jerome V. Sweeney; LT Michael Dorn; MAJ Michael Downing; CPT Louis A. Zuliani; P.C.; CPT Dominic Uglietto; LT Cornelius J. O'Leary.

This extraordinary meeting was called at the request of Committee members LT Sweeney, LT Dorn and MAJ Downing for the purpose of acting on the compensation for the Company Executive Secretary. COL Tauber, Chairman, accepted a motion by 2nd LT May to suspend the seven day notification of the meeting as prescribed by Rule. The motion was duly seconded and voted upon unanimously.

LT Sweeney presented the compensation agreement negotiated with the incumbent Executive Secretary and other matters relating to work hours and schedules. An hourly rate of \$20.00, a 40-hour work week, travel reimbursement, vacation, and supervision was presented to the Committee as a motion and duly seconded. Discussion on the terms and length of a contract would be put in writing by LT Sweeney. Following the discussion COL Tauber, Chairman, called for a vote on the motion. The motion was voted upon unanimously.

There being no other business, the Committee was adjourned at 2115 hours.

Respectfully submitted,
LT Cornelius J. O'Leary, Secretary



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BOSTON, MASS 02109

MEMORANDUM

To: Standing Committee Members
Anniversary Committee Members
From: LT Cornelius J. O'Leary, Secretary
Date: 8 May 2003
Subject: Meetings

Standing Committee Members are hereby informed that there will be no meeting of the Committee on 12 May 2003. You are reminded to make sure you vote on this the election night of the Company.

Anniversary Committee Members are informed that there will be a meeting in the Captain's quarters at 7:30 PM on 12 May 2003. This is a very important meeting that you have to attend. The Company is making final arrangements for June Day. It is important that everyone gives the status on the role that they are responsible for to make the -Anniversary a great event. **Be there, it is in the Company's best interests that we all make a good organized showing to our fellow Honorable Artillery Company of London.**

On behalf of COL Stuart P. Tauber
Captain Commanding

MESSAGE FROM CAPTAIN COMMANDING COL STUART P. TAUBER

Comrades:

The year is coming to a close and I am taking this opportunity to briefly share a few thoughts with you.

For me, it has been a memorable year. The parades and social functions have all been fabulous and very well attended. The Fall Field Day Tour of Duty was outstanding. I was proud to be your captain as we honored the war dead in Austria, the new constitution and democracy of the Slovak Republic, the heroes of Hungary who died for freedom in 1956 and the Hungarian victims of the Holocaust in World War II. I know that we were all touched by these ceremonies.

I could go on and on about the great things that we accomplished this year. Mostly, I want to thank you all for your tremendous support.

Remember, June Day is still ahead of us. Our parent organization, the Honorable Artillery Company, will be visiting us commemorating the Centennial Visit of 1903. The British are our closest allies and we have a special relationship through the HAC. I know we will make this a June Day that no one will forget.

Again, let me thank you for a great year. Let's end it in a real "Ancients" style. I could not be prouder to be your Captain Commanding for 2002-2003.

LT Cornelius J. O'Leary
Personnel Adjutant and Clerk

COL Stuart P. Tauber
Captain Commanding

AHAC LONDON ASSOCIATION

MG James A. Lynch, Jr., P.C., Chairman, announces that the Association will meet on Monday, 19 May 2003 at 6:30 PM at the Mount Vernon Restaurant, 14 Broadway, Somerville. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the itinerary and visit of the Honorable Artillery Company of London this June Day to celebrate the 100th Anniversary of their 1903 visit to Boston.

2003-2004 DUES ASSESSMENT

Members are advised to submit your Dues Assessment payment on or before 31 May to avoid a late payment penalty. The penalty for late payment is \$100.00.

JUNE DAY WEEKEND, BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

**Saturday, May 31 - Tuesday June 3, 2003 Celebrating the 100th
Anniversary of the Honorable Artillery Company of London Visit
in 1903 to Boston, sponsored by HRH Prince Charles.**

**Ancients Headquarters Hotel: Boston Park Plaza
Arlington Street, Boston, MA**

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**DON'T FORGET TO MENTION THE ANCIENT AND
HONORABLE ARTLLERY COMPANY OF MASSACHUSETTS**

JUNE DAY WEEKEND HIGHLIGHTS

- Friday, May 30, 2003, reception, by invitation, at State House from 3:00PM to 5:00 PM hosted by HAC.
- Saturday night, May 31st, a special performance of the HAC Band with the Boston Pops at Symphony Hall. Tickets are available for \$60.00 to \$90.00 per seat based on location and availability. Bring your lady to this great evening at the Pops. Uniform for Ancients is mess dress.
- Sunday, June 1, 2003-Drumhead rehearsal Boston Common 10:00 AM to 12:00 N
- Sunday, June 1, 2003—Ten of Us cookout & clam bake 1:30 PM to 4:30 PM at Camp Curtis Guild, Haverhill Street, Reading.
- Sunday, June 1, 2003-Sergeants 2003-2004 Hospitality Room. Remember to become a V.I.P. in support of the Sergeants.
- Monday, June 2, 2003 - Report to the Armory by 11:30 AM for lunch. Form the parade for church service and re-enactment of Drumhead election on Boston Common. Special participation of over 300 members of the Honourable Artillery.



HEADQUARTERS

ARMORY, FANEUIL HALL

BOSTON, MASS 02109

MINUTES OF STANDING COMMITTEE EMERGENCY MEETING TUESDAY, 20 MAY 2003

ATTENDING: Col Stuart P. Tauber, Chairman; 1st LT COL William J. O'Brien; 2nd LT Daniel G. May; COL James R. Littleton; LT Jerome V. Sweeney; LT Michael Dorn; MAJ Michael Downing; CPT Louis A. Zuliani, P.C.; CPT Dominic Uglietto; LT Cornelius J. O'Leary.

This extraordinary meeting was called at the request of Committee members LT Sweeney, LT Dorn and MAJ Downing for the purpose of acting on the compensation for the Company Executive Secretary. COL Tauber, Chairman, accepted a motion by 2nd LT May to suspend the seven day notification of the meeting as prescribed by Rule. The motion was duly seconded and voted upon unanimously.

Lt Sweeney presented the compensation agreement negotiated with the incumbent Executive Secretary and other matters relating to work hours and schedules. An hourly rate of \$20.00, a 40-hour work week, travel reimbursement, vacation, and supervision was presented to the Committee as a motion and duly seconded. Discussion on the terms and length of a contract would be put in writing by LT Sweeney. Following the discussion, COL Tauber, Chairman, called for a vote on the motion. The motion was voted upon unanimously.

There being no other business the Committee was adjourned at 2115 hours.

Respectfully submitted,
LT Cornelius J. O'Leary Secretary



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MINUTES OF 27 MAY 2003 REGULAR MEETING THE FIFTH SPRING MEETING

- Col Stuart P. Tauber, Captain Commanding, opened the meeting at 1930 hours. Adjutant COL Thomas Richter led the members in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.
- LT George M. Morrison delivered the invocation.
- In Memoriam was announced for LT Joseph A. DiCarlo and Frank D. Zeuli. The Adjutant called the Members to attention and a salute was rendered as Taps was played by bugler SGT Gerald Davidson.
- The minutes of the May 12, 2003 meeting were read and accepted.
- There were 163 members present.
- MG James A. Lynch, Jr., P.C., introduced the members of the Boston Association of the Honorable Artillery Company of London who attended the meeting.
- Twenty new members were administered the Company oath by Adjutant Thomas Richter.
- COL Henry Silverman led the members in a rousing hip, hip hooray for COL Stuart Tauber for a very successful Command Year.
- 1st LT COL William J. O'Brien called the roll of Past Captains present: BG Robert L. Marr, CPT Robert D. Murphy, BG James A. Lynch, Jr., CPT J. Barry Driscoll, LTC M. Joseph DeMatteo, BG Joseph A. Milano, BG Reynold P. Graunas, CPT Paul J. Mahoney, CPT Louis A. Zuliani, CPT Joseph C. Benoit
- Adjutant, COL Thomas Richter, called the roll of Sergeants and reported all present or accounted for.

Respectively submitted:

LT Cornelius J. O'Leary, Personnel Adjutant and Clerk

Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts



2002

2003

365th Anniversary Proceedings
June 2, 2003

365th ANNIVERSARY FIELD DAY JUNE DAY 2003

In accordance with the time honored tradition, the Ancient & Honorable Artillery Company celebrated their 365th June Day Anniversary. The weekend was composed of dinners, luncheons, a Change of Command Parade and a gala banquet that culminates with the farewell of the current command and the welcoming of the new one. This June Day, while following all of the usual events, was greatly expanded as The Company hosted a large contingent of the Honourable Artillery Company of London. This year celebrated the Centenary visit by the HAC in 1903. During the 1800s, the communications and relationship between the two organizations had somewhat cooled due to the International climate of the times. In 1903, the two companies agreed to re-establish their strong ties and thus, planned a gala weekend visit. Now, in 2003, both attempted to replicate much of what occurred one hundred years ago. The planning was extensive and both groups traveled back and forth between London and Boston in order to plan the event. The HAC group included members of their active unit that included the Regimental Band and Drum Corps. There was also a large number of HAC veterans and about fifty wives and significant others. HAC ceremonial units included The Light Cavalry and The Company of Musketeers and Pikemen. The total number of the HAC was about two hundred and eighty. The active elements, which included the regular soldiers and the band and drum corps were quartered in The Constitution Inn located on the old Charlestown Navy Yard, with transportation to all events supplied by the Massachusetts Army National Guard. The rest of the HAC established their headquarters at The Radisson Hotel, just around the corner from The Boston Park Plaza, where the AHAC was located. It should be noted that the HAC visit was accompanied by the Right Honourable the Lord Mayor of London, Gavyn Arthur. The patron of the visit was HRH Charles, The Prince of Wales.

JUNE DAY ACTIVITIES

Thursday, 29 May 2003

Led by their Colonel-Commandant, General Sir Alex Harley, the main body of the HAC arrived in Boston. They were greeted at Logan Airport and later at the Radisson Hotel by Colonel Tauber and some of the Command staff. Many members of the HAC repaired to the Union Oyster House for a dinner. A few AHAC personnel joined them.

Friday 30 May 2003

This was the first official day of the visit and the AHAC held a welcome reception at 1100 hrs., at Headquarters in Faneuil Hall. Gifts were exchanged at this time. Colonel Tauber presented the HAC with a nautical brass clock mounted on a piece of the planking from The USS Constitution. The HAC presented the AHAC with a framed photograph of Queen Elizabeth II who is the Captain-General of the HAC. This photograph was immediately hung in the Captain's Quarters. LT. Col. Stuart Watts, the HAC director of music, presented the Ancients with a model of an HAC drum which was placed in a display case in the museum. Welcoming speeches were made by Colonel Tauber and responded to by Major Hugh Edmonds and LT. Col. Watts. Other gifts were exchanged between the organizing committees of both companies. Prior to, and during the reception, the HAC Band and Corps of Drums paraded around the Faneuil Hall Market area to the delight of many Bostonians. At 1500 hrs., the HAC held a reception for The Ancient's at The Massachusetts State House. Refreshments were plentiful and all were entertained by the music of the HAC Band. Most impressive was the presence of the Pikemen & Musketeers who lined the corridor leading to the reception in Memorial Hall. They were resplendent in their sixteenth century uniforms with breast plates, helmets, pikes and swords. They also lined the ground stairway when The Lord Mayor, Alderman Gavyn Arthur arrived. Colonel Tauber, Major Hugh Edmonds, the British Consul General, George Ferguson and the Incoming Captain, George Morrison all made remarks pertaining to this great anniversary of the visit in 1903 and renewal of our close relationship. Unfortunately, our host, Governor Mitt Romney, was called away at the last minute and was unable to attend. All in all, both receptions were a great success.

Saturday, 31 May 2003

The HAC ladies spent most of this day touring Greater Boston, the highlight of the tour being their visit to historic Salem and the north shore coastline. The AHAC staffs were occupied with tying up and coordinating the events that were still on the weekend's agenda. The evening saw the HAC Company of Pikemen & Musketeers standing guard and lining the halls of Boston Symphony Hall, awaiting the arrival of The Lord Mayor of London as well as over six hundred Ancient's, HAC members, the ladies of both organizations and other guests. The group was also graced by the presence of Thomas Menino, The Mayor of Boston, and his wife Angela. Dressed in the various distinctive dress uniforms and fashionable dresses of the ladies, the pre-concert reception was quite the gala. What with the colorful uniforms and the impressive honor guard of the Pikemen & Musketeers, the other symphony goers received a very special treat. The concert lived up to its great reputation under the direction of Laureate Conductor John Williams. Through the great coordination between the symphony staff, Williams, AHAC LT George Morrison and his committee and HAC Director of Music, LT. Col. Stuart Watts, and The HAC Band performed during the concert. They marched into the hall dressed in their impressive bearskin hats & red buff tunics to huge acclaim. The hall was electrified by their performance. The Symphony Hall had not seen the like since 1903. After the intermission, the concert continued but the HAC Band was not finished. The finale brought them back playing some great British traditionals, such as "The British Grenadiers." The highlight was the last piece which was conducted at the podium by LT. Col. Watts. In full uniform, he brought down the house as the band was joined by the orchestra in a magical rendition of Sousa's "Stars & Stripes Forever". At the close, a huge American Flag was unfurled behind the orchestra. The performance was nothing less than striking. Many thanks must go to all who worked so hard to make this event happen. Specifically, we again must applaud LT George Morrison, LT. Col. Stuart Watts and, of course, the most gracious Maestro John Williams.

Sunday, 1 June 2003

The HAC, as a group, attended church services in Boston and then joined the AHAC for parade rehearsal on The Boston Common.

After the rehearsal, The "Ten of Us" hosted the HAC to a real New England Clambake at Camp Curtis Guild from 1330 - 1630 hrs. Many AHAC members

also joined them. One drawback was the driving rainstorm that hit in the late morning. Undaunted, the party moved into the huge drill shed and the affair went off in great style. All feasted on lobster, clams, corn and steak and while somewhat constrained, the HAC Band performed admirably in the drill hall. That evening, the AHAC held their annual Governor's Dinner, the night before June Day. The HAC staff were present along with the Incoming and Outgoing staffs of the AHAC. The event was held in The Georgian Room of The Boston Park Plaza Hotel and was attended by about sixty in total. The uniform for AHAC was Company Blazer and business dress by the guests.

Monday, 2 June 2003

At 0800 hrs., the incoming and outgoing staffs and selected members of the HAC assembled at the edge of Boston Common and performed a reveille ceremony accompanied by fifes and drums of Captain Frank Zarba's military band. After the short reveille, all joined the Captain for breakfast in the Stanbro Room. Following breakfast the officers, officers-elect and selected HAC members assembled at King's Chapel Burial Ground to lay a wreath and render honors at the tomb of Captain Robert Keayne. The group then moved to the State House and laid a wreath on The John F. Kennedy (a member of the AHAC) Memorial. All then adjourned to Faneuil Hall for a luncheon. At 1230 hrs. The AHAC and all visiting delegations cleared the Armory and assembled in the street for the commencement of the parade. After The Star Spangled Banner, the parade began accompanied by the great marching tunes of The Massachusetts Army National Guard's 215th Army Band. The "Ancients" passed in review of all the visiting Military delegations who then stepped off behind The Company. The parade proceeded to St. Paul's Cathedral on Tremont Street for the annual church service that was conducted by the AHAC chaplains. This included Father (BG) Robert Durkee, Father (Col.) Edward McCabe and Rabbi (Col.) Alvin Lieberman. The sermon was delivered by Rabbi Lieberman. The ode was written and delivered by BG (MA) Emery Maddocks and Col. Thomas Richter, The Company Adjutant, read the memorial list of all AHAC members who passed during the year. After the service, all reformed and marched to The Boston Common where the ceremonial Drum Head Election was held and the chain of command ceremony took place. The new commissions and the surrender of the current positions were conducted by the LT. Gov., Kerry Healey and Brig. Gen. George Keefe, The Adjutant General. As is

the custom, Col. Tauber, accompanied by LT. Gov. Kerry Healey and Brig. Gen. George Keefe, "trooped the line" making his final inspection of the command. Most touching was the tribute by the 215th Army Band who played "She wore a yellow ribbon" in recognition of Col. Tauber's service as a cavalry and armor officer in the Army. After the commissioning and relinquishing of command it should be noted that all gun salutes to the incoming and outgoing staffs were fired by a battery of The Massachusetts Army National Guard, 1st Battalion 101st Field Artillery Regiment. Under the command of the new Captain, George Morrison, the parade moved out to the street in front of the Park Plaza Hotel for the Retreat Ceremony. All participants then went into the hotel for hot dogs and beverages hosted by the AHAC Company Sergeants. Prior to the banquet, The Company had a reception in the Georgian Room and the head table guests had a reception, by invitation only, in the Hamilton Room. Here, Col. Tauber connected with LT. Gov. Healey and the main speaker, LT. Gen. H. Steven Blum, the Chief of the National Guard Bureau. Gen. Blum proved to be a dynamic and entertaining speaker. At 1900 hrs., the banquet began.

While the banquet was in progress, a parallel event was taking place. There is an organization called The Inner Circle that is made up of ladies that have a direct family connection to The Ancients. With some financial assistance from The Ancients, this club hosted the ladies of the HAC at a dinner held at the 57 restaurant. The president, Mrs. Mary Riley, the officers and members graciously entertained the HAC ladies. This turned out to be a real bonding experience and a great success.

A special thanks is extended to Maj. Gen. Mario DiCarlo, a member of the AHAC and commander of The National Lancers. Due to their efforts, they were able to secure mounts for The Light Cavalry. These horses came from the Lancers and the MDC Police mounted unit. The mounted troopers of The Lancers and The Light Cavalry added a great deal of color and pageantry to the entire event.

Enclosures:

- A. 365th Anniversary Field Day Order #4
- B. List of visiting delegations

COL STUART P. TAUBER
CAPTAIN COMMANDING 2002-2003

HEADQUARTERS

**Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company
 Of Massachusetts**

ARMORY, FANEUIL HALL

BOSTON, MASS 02109

**General Order
 Number 4**

May 17, 2003

365th ANNIVERSARY FIELD DAY

1. In accordance with Paragraph 509 of the Rules and Regulations of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts, the 365th Anniversary Field Day will be observed on Monday, 2 June 2003.
2. The Company will parade from Faneuil Hall to the Cathedral Church of St. Paul for annual Memorial Services. Following the Church Services, the Company will parade to the Boston Common for the Annual Drumhead Election of Officers and Sergeants. Upon conclusion of the ceremonies on the Common, the Company will parade to Park Plaza Hotel for Retreat Ceremony and dismissal. The annual Banquet will be held at the Park Plaza Hotel, Boston, Massachusetts.
3. The Members of the Company will report to the Armory, Faneuil Hall, Boston, MA at 1100 hours.
 - A. Reveille - 0830
 - B. Officers and Officers-Elect report to the Adjutant at the main entrance to the Park Plaza Hotel at 0800 hours.
 - B. Memorial Service: CPT. Robert Keayne's Grave at 1045 hours. Officers and Officers-Elect in formation at King's Chapel Burial Ground, Boston, MA.
 - C. Lunch will be served at Headquarters, Armory, Faneuil Hall, Boston, Massachusetts at 1100 hours.
 - D. First Call - 1200 hours. Members of the Company and Visiting Delegations will clear the Armory, Faneuil Hall.

- E. Assembly - 1215 hours.
Members of the Company and Visiting Delegations will form according to Order of March outside Faneuil Hall in areas assigned (see paragraph 4, Order of March).
- F. Adjutants call - 1215 hours.
Company formed as assigned outside Faneuil Hall. Wing Adjutants and Officers of Day report to Adjutant.
- G. Parade - 1230 hours

4. Order of March

A. Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts

- (1) Commander and Adjutant
- (2) Commissioned Staff
- (3) Non-Commissioned Staff
- (4) Band
- (5) Honorary Staff
- (6) Officers - Elect
- (7) Officers of the Day and Members of the Guard
- (8) Infantry Wing Commander and Adjutant
- (9) Infantry Wing
- (10) Colors
- (11) Artillery Wind Commander and Adjutant
- (12) Artillery Wing
- (13) Sergeants - elect form as a section
- (14) Training Officer
- (15) New Members with Blazer

B. Visiting Delegations

- (1) Commander and Staff
- (2) Massachusetts Army National Guard Regional Training Institute
- (3) Band
- (4) Members of the Honourable Artillery Company of London
- (5) Members of the Centennial Legion and Visiting Delegations in order of seniority
- (6) Artillery Battery

C. Coordinating Instructions

- (1) Automobiles will not be in line of March. Anyone unable to parade will go to the Church by the most direct route.

- (2) Honorary Staff: Past Commanders, Honorary Members, General Officers, Distinguished Guests, and ONLY such others as the Captain may designate will parade with the Honorary Staff.
- (3) Visiting Delegations will clear the Armory by 1215 and proceed to Congress St., turn LEFT and form in the line on the West Side of Congress St., with the head of the columns at State St., awaiting the passage of the Company.
- (4) The Commissioned Staff, the Non-Commissioned Staff, the Band, and the Honorary Staff will precede the Company from the Armory and Form in line on the North side of North St., facing West, head of the column on Congress St.
- (5) The Artillery Battery (1st Battalion, 101st Field Artillery, Mass. Army, National Guard) will take a position in the rear of Boston City Hall on Congress Street and will follow the Visiting Delegations along the route of march, until the rear element has moved beyond intersection of Tremont St. and Park St., at which time the Battery will take a right turn onto Park St. and enter the Boston Common to the assigned position on Common and prepare for firing of the Salutes.
- (6) Sergeants form their sections in their respective Wing on north side of North St., facing west.
- (7) Members not regularly assigned to sections will report to the Sergeant Major for assignment. Only members of the Company will parade in sections.
- (8) Rosters. All members parading are responsible for checking in with one of the following to receive credit for the parade.
 - a. Section Sergeants: Members marching in sections.
 - b. Aide to the Captain: Officers, Staff Officers, and Non-Commissioned Officers
 - c. Sergeant Major: Honorary Staff, Officers-elect, and of the Day and Members of the Guard.
 - d. Color Guard OIC: Members of the Color Guard.
 - e. First Sergeant-elect: Sergeants-elect.
 - f. Acting Sergeant Major: Visiting Delegations.

- (9) In accordance with custom, Officers and Officers-Elect, Sergeants and Sergeants-Elect, Adjutant, Wing Adjutants and new members elected to the Company, are requested to assemble for a practice session at 1000, Sunday, 1 June 2003 on the Boston Common adjacent to the intersection of Charles Street and Beacon St.

5. Banquet (Military Formal - Black Tie)

- A. The Officers of the Day and Members of the Guard will report to the Adjutant in the lobby at 1800 for assignment.
- B. Past Commanders will act as a Reception Committee to the Distinguished Guests sitting at the Head Table in the VIP Reception Room at 1830 hours. **ADMISSION BY INVITATION ONLY, NO EXCEPTIONS**
- C. The Officers of the Day and the Members of the Guard will be charged with keeping the corridors and entrance to the Banquet Hall clear, and will direct the movement of members into the Banquet hall at 1900 to avoid congestion in the corridors in order that the Distinguished Guests may be received without confusion. Uniform for Duty will be Parade Dress with Cover and Sash.
- D. SEATING IN THE BANQUET HALL WILL BE BY RESERVATION AND SPECIFIED DESIGNATED SEATING.** The Officers of the Day and the Members of the Guard are instructed to report any violation of this provision to the Adjutant. Any violation of this order will be reported to the Standing Committee for disciplinary action.

6. Details: The following details are announced for Monday, 2 June 2003

A. OFFICERS OF THE DAY

- Area A: OFFICER OF THE DAY:** COL J. Albert Johnson
(Boston Common)
- Area B: OFFICER OF THE DAY:** LT Gerard C. McCarthy
(Church Sendee)
- Area C: OFFICER OF THE DAY:** CAPT Herbert C.
Caldwell (Banquet)

B. MEMBERS OF THE GUARD (report to Armory, Faneuil Hall, Boston at 1100 hours)

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| MG Arnold MacCollum | LT Joseph W. Howard |
| COL James Greenwood | LT James A. Lynch, III |
| LTC Enoch O'Del Woodhouse II | LT Nicholas Uglietto |
| LT John Lavin | |

C. BANDMASTER (Emeritus): COL John J. Shea

D. SERGEANT BUGLER: SGT Gerald Davidson and
SGT. Michael A. Fish

E. SERGEANT DRUMMER: LT Henry R. Vozzella

F. OFFICER IN CHARGE OF HONORARY STAFF:
CPT Robert M. Murphy, P.C.

G. COMMISSIONED STAFF: LTC John L. Howard

H. ESCORT TO THE GOVERNOR'S REPRESENTATIVE:
BG Joseph A. Milano, P.C., Military Aide To The Governor

I. ESCORTS TO HIS HONOR THE MAYOR:

- COL John O'Leary
Paul R. Tierney, Jr.

J. VISITING DELEGATIONS (Military Sendee Uniform)

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|-----------------|--------------------------------|
| COMMANDER: | BG Albert A. Mangone |
| CHIEF OF STAFF: | BG John W. Carlson |
| ADJUTANT: | COL Leonid Kondratiuk |
| | BG Gary Pappas |
| | CAPT Thomas S. Hudner, Jr. CMH |
| | CAPT Thomas G. Kelley, CMH |

LIAISON OFFICER: LT Philip H. DePasquale

ASSISTANT LIAISON OFFICER:

- LT Norman Limoges

K. CHURCH DETAIL: Report to St. Paul's Cathedral at 1300 hours.

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| OFFICER IN CHARGE: | LT Gerard C. McCarthy |
| ASSISTANT O.I.C.: | COL James Greenwood |
| STAFF: | COL Edward A. Zullo |
| | COL Thomas J. Griffin III |
| | SGM George P. Bruno, Jr. |

LIAISON OFFICER: BGEN Donald L. Houston

L. COMMON DETAIL: Report to Marquee, Boston Common at 1300 hours.

OFFICER IN CHARGE: BG George C. Dhionis
 ASSISTANT O.I.C.: COL Timothy O'Shea
 STAFF: CPT Stephen R. Allen
 MSG Brian Ward
 SFC Anthony L. Buonopane
 LIAISON OFFICER LTC Arthur O'Malley

M. LOGISTICS/SUPPLY

QUARTERMASTER: MAJ John E. Welch
 QUARTERMASTER SERGEANT: CSM George Grimes, Jr.
 NARRATOR OF CEREMONIES: COL Bob Sheridan
 AIDE TO NARRATOR: BG Charles P. Forman
 AIDE TO NARRATOR: LT Paul Covell

N. PAYMASTER STAFF

PAYMASTER: COL James R. Littleton
 PAYMASTER ASST'S: SGT Mark Tribuna
 LT Paul Covell

7. GENERAL INFORMATION:

Parade Uniform

- A. Regulation Parade Uniform - black shoes, cap, white gloves, belt.
- B. Service Uniform may be worn by those members entitled to wear same.

Paragraph 11 3B: Only members of the Company and its invited guests shall participate in any of its parades or festivities. Any member who by gift or otherwise shall dispose of his right to participate in any of its parades or festivities and shall be discharged from membership by the Standing Committee. Members are urged to notify the Paymaster of their attendance or non-attendance at the Annual Banquet by so noting on their 2003-2004 Assessment Notice. This is applicable to all types of membership. At the Annual Banquet cards of admission will be collected from members and guests. Members take notice.

Members desiring private rooms will make their own arrangements with the Hotel management, the Company assuming no responsibility in the matter, and under no circumstances will make any charge for rooms, or service against the Company. The hotel management has been notified of this rule.

Members are requested to assist in every way the arrangements as set forth in these paragraphs.

Official:
COL Thomas E. Richter
Adjutant

By Order of:
COL Stuart P. Tauber
Captain Commanding

JUNE DAY - ANNIVERSARY PARADE

VISITING DELEGATIONS AND OTHER PARADE PARTICIPANTS

JUNE 2, 2003

Prepared by Lt. Philip H. DePasquale - Liaison officer/visiting delegations

(Listed by year formed or parade position where known)

#of persons attending	Name of Delegation	State	Yr. Formed	Officer In-Charge
200 +	H AC of London	Ma.	(see separate listing attached)	
5	Mass Nat'l Guard Ceremonial unit color guard	Ma.		Maj. A. Sciaraffa
20+	Mass Nat'l Guard (troops)	Ma.		Brig. Gen. G. Pappas
45	101" Regional Training Inst. (RTI)	Ma.		Col. Charles Maguire
6	Norwich Univ. Cadets	Vt.		Reddington, Sterite, Hoffman, Collela, Tringali & Boudreau
40+	215 Army National Guard Band			WO J. Girard
1	USS Constitution			Commander Randall Neal
1	Swiss Guard	Vatican City		Col. Elmar Mader
1	Mass Council of Minutemen & Militia			Maj. Harry Orcutt
1	Commander of Centennial Legion			LTC. Richard E. Erff
10	First Corp. of Cadets	Ma.	1726	President Richard Matlack
39	1st Company Gov. Foot Guards Also Co. Band	Ct.	1771	Maj. D. Conroy Commandant, Drum Major Sgt. Max Covell
10	Kentish Guards	R. I.	1774	Col. Richard Palmer
20	2nd Co. Gov. Foot Guard	Ct.	1775	Maj. Peter Wasiliewski
8	Varnum Continentals	R. I.	1775	Maj. James Wilson
15	1st Co. Gov. Horse Guard	Ct.	1778	Maj. James P. McGovern
16	2nd Corp. of Cadets	Ma.	1785	Col. Edward Quinn
5	Veterans Corps of Artillery	N.Y.	1790	BG David J. Ramsay
8	National Lancers Note: on Horseback - rode with HAC Lt. Calvary	Ma.	1834	Maj. Mario DeCarlo
<i>The following are not Centennial legion delegations but participated in parade, etc.</i>				
8	Acton Minutemen	Ma.	1774	Col Robert Werner
4	Menotomy Minutemen	Arlington, Ma.	1972	Commander Fred Sennot
10	Aleppo Minutemen	Wilmington, Ma.	1975	Commander Paul Winam
6	Watertown Provincial Guard	Ma.	1775	Maj. John Piantedosi
1	12th Mass. Vol. Infantry	Kingston, Ma.	1775	Sgt. Grand Richards
8	Lincoln Minutemen (note - this group did not report in at lunch but some members seemed to be present - cannot be certain they showed up)	Ma.		Don Hafner

Also - The National Guard Howitzer group, with vehicles, participated at the parade beginning and then left to establish themselves for the firing on the hill on the common.

ANCIENT AND HONORABLE ARTILLERY

CO., OF MASS.

BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

2003

JUNE DAY - JUNE 2, 2003

HONOURABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY OF LONDON, ENGLAND

Leaders and commanders of marching delegations and divisions in June day parade.

- 1) DRUM MAJOR - (corp of drums) Simon Ball
- 2) Director of Music - Lt. Col. Stuart Watts
- 3) Capt. Of Pikemen - Capt. David Horn
- 4) Leader of Veterans - General Sir Alex Harley
Honourable Artillery Co.,
2nd in command - Maj. Hugh Edmands
- 5) Leader of 2nd Veterans contingency - Col. Sir Clive Martin
2nd in command - Maj. Basil Bicknell
- 6) Commander of Lt. Calvary - Maj. Roy Sanders

Information supplied by Alistair Bassett Cross - Honorary Secretary HAC Boston Associati.

**THREE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH ANNIVERSARY
ANCIENT AND HONORABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY
OF MASSACHUSETTS**

ANNUAL CHURCH SERVICE



**THE CATHEDRAL CHURCH OF ST. PAUL
Tremont Street, Boston, Massachusetts**

Monday, 2 June 2003

**COL Stuart P. Tauber
Captain Commanding**

**Anniversary Sermon
Chaplain (COL) Alvin I. Lieberman**

Concelebrants and Company Chaplains

**Chaplain (BG) Robert M. Durkee
Chaplain (BG) David P. Mahn
Chaplain (MAJ) David P. Reindorp, HAC**

**BG Emery A. Maddocks, Jr.
Author of the Anniversary Ode**

ORDER OF SERVICE

SALUTATION TO THE COLORS

**INVOCATION
Chaplain (BG) Robert M. Durkee**

**READING OF THE SCRIPTURE
Chaplain (BG) David P. Mahn**

LAUDAMUS Protheroe

**READING OF THE DEATH ROLL
COL Thomas E. Richter**

**PRAYER
Chaplain (BG) Robert M. Durkee**

**SOLDIER'S REST Scott
Edward Harney, Trumpeteer**

**SERMON: *From War and Desolation
to Peace and Hope*
Chaplain (COL) Alvin I. Lieberman**

**ALLELUIA Mozart
Jackie Thurrott, Soloist**

**ANNIVERSARY ODE: 2002-2003,
We Live in Interesting Times
BG Emery A. Maddocks, Jr.**

NATIONAL HYMNS Carey

**BENEDICTION
Chaplain (MAJ) David P. Reindorp, HAC**

POSTLUDE : Marvin Eatough, Organist

Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts

DEATH ROLL

3 June 2002 – 2 June 2003

(Reporting Date: 19 May 2003)

CPT Lyle H. Linberg
Enrolled: 4 September 1973
Died: 28 June 2002
Served 29 Years
Senior Life Member

SGT Eugene C. Waniewski
Enrolled: 1 May 1995
Died: 29 June 2002
Served: 7 Years
Regular Member

BG Leroy W. Rioux
Enrolled: 18 April 1978
Died: 3 July 2002
Served: 24 Years
Senior Life Member

LT Gino M. Ferrini, Jr.
Enrolled: 22 September 1969.
Died: 26 August 2002
Served: 33 Years
Life Member

CPL Ronald J. O'Brien, Sr.
Enrolled: 8 June 1998
Died: 31 August 2002
Served: 4 Years
Regular Member

LTC William L. Joyce Sr.
Enrolled: 24 September 1973
Died: 15 September 2002
Served: 29 Years
Senior Life Member

Thomas J. Kelly
Enrolled: 9 August 1987
Died: 28 September 2002
Served: 15 Years
Regular Member

COL Paul B. Robison
Enrolled: 17 September 1976
Died: 22 October 2002
Served: 26 Years
Senior Life Member

SGT Robert H. Johnson
Enrolled: 1 April 1963
Died: 27 October 2002
Served 39 Years
Senior Life Member

LT Paul L. Tocci
Enrolled: 29 October 1976
Died: 24 November 2002
Served: 26 Years
Senior Life member

LT Francis P. Cullen
Enrolled: 9 March 1991
Died: 30 November 2002
Served: 11 Years
Regular Member

SGT Frederick J. Casey
Enrolled: 12 May 1958
Died: 8 December 2002
Served: 44 Years
Senior Life Member

James J. Duffy
Enrolled: 5 May 1947
Died: 16 January 2003
Served: 56 Years
Senior Life member

LT Frank Dragone
Enrolled: 15 August 1977
Died 25 January 2003
Served: 26 Years
Senior Life Member

BG John C. Dolan, Jr.
Enrolled: 28 September 1980
Died: 26 January 2003
Served: 33 Years
Senior Life Member

COL James L. McCoy
Enrolled: 1 April 1991
Died: 2 February 2003
Served 12 Years
Regular Member

LT Charles S. Bishop
Enrolled: 19 September 1955
Died: 3 March 2003
Served: 47 Years
Senior Life Member

CPT Lyle H. Linberg
Enrolled: 4 September 1973
Died: 28 June 2002
Served: 29 Years
Senior Life Member

COL Robert E. Couture
Enrolled: 14 June 1976
Died: 13 April 2003
Served: 27 Years
Senior Life Member

LT Arthur F. diNatale
Enrolled: 14 September 1970
Died: 30 April 2003
Served: 32 Years
Life Member

MAJ Joseph A. DiCarlo
Enrolled: 01 May 1961
Died: 15 May 2003
Served: 42 Years
Senior Life Member

Frank D. Zeuli
Enrolled: 09 September 1967
Died: 20 May 2003
Served: 36 Years
Senior Life Member

A&HAC JUNE DAY 20032002 – 2003: WE LIVE IN INTERESTING TIMES

The Company year goes from June to June in ancient tradition. Most years, thank God, pass with little to distinguish them from the year preceding or the year to come. We live the normal rhythms of life as we hope for, in relative peace and tranquility. From time to time, however, the rhythm becomes syncopated with tumultuous events; war, tragedy, natural disasters, political crises; events which will change the course of national and world history. These are “interesting times.”

Our American world and outlook has changed since the terrorist attacks on this nation September 11, 2001. Nothing will ever be as it was. The fallout from those tragic events continues. It is appropriate, this June Day, to reflect on where our organization fits in the current context of American experience. Unless we do think about this seriously and act to make a positive contribution to our community life, we assume the role of a nattily uniformed “marching and chowder society.”

Think about this organization and what it stands for. We were chartered and established as a military company in 1638 to train young gentleman officers for service in the various militias of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. It was a noble mission and we were successful in shaping leaders who served Commonwealth and country for over 250 years. Our mission has changed. With the creation of the National Guard and the federalization of officer training in the early twentieth

century, we entered a new phase in our Company's history. Our Company mission has changed to a supportive role in preserving the historic and patriotic traditions of our city, Commonwealth and nation.

Reflecting on just what this role is and its validity in a time of war and historic events leads us to reaffirm our values. Who are we and what do we stand for?

WE STAND FOR:

PATRIOTISM. We are a patriotic organization, unabashedly so. We stand for the values of service to the nation and what we believe it stands for. We participate in national holiday celebrations, add a measure of pomp and pageantry to the great events of our city and the Commonwealth and turn out for special commemorations. Doing so, we set a positive example for our fellow citizens that it is good to wave the flag and demonstrate pride in our community life.

SERVICE. This company is a service organization. Witness our support for the Marine Corps' "Toys For Tots" program for underprivileged children. Witness our on-going support for the USO and for special charitable causes that arise from time to time. Look also at the individual contributions made by our members, contributions in time and treasure to good works throughout the community.

HISTORY AND HISTORIC PRESERVATION: look at our rather unique museum at Faneuil Hall. This Company, in and of itself, is living history keeping alive traditions and values dating to 1638 and before.

INTERNATIONAL GOODWILL AND FRIENDSHIP. For over 100 years this Company has represented the Commonwealth and nation on numerous overseas trips all over this world. Witness the genuine friendships, organizational and personal, nurtured with our comrades of the Honorable Artillery Company. Witness the most recent Fall Field Tour of Duty to Hungary, Slovakia and Austria. Our Company contributed to the efforts of the Departments of State and Defense to further developing new friendships with the emerging democracies of Eastern Europe.

MILITARY SERVICE AND SUPPORT. This Company is a military company in that it is organized as a militia of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. This Company counts among its members many military people, veterans and serving members of the Armed Forces of the United States. Several members have been called to active service in support of our national defense since September 11, 2001. While there is now no membership requirement to have served in the military, a great many of our members have done so and with distinction. Members currently on the roles have served in every war from WW II to the present. Historically, members of this Company have served in every Massachusetts colonial war and national conflict since 1638. Those members who have not worn the uniform have

also given support to our armed forces by their very membership in this organization and their material support of military service organizations.

FRATERNITY. Make no mistake about it; this Company is a fraternal organization comprised of men with common interests who enjoy each other's company. We are men represent the living proof of the American dream. We have members of many ethnic groups and religions. We are businessmen, soldiers, learned professionals, educators and clergy who share a love for each other and the Grand Old Company.

In the context of these "interesting times," our Company still plays a vital role of service to the City of Boston, the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the United States of America. We bear a sacred historic burden to uphold the best traditions of those who have gone before us.

This past Company year was a year of success and a refocus on our tradition and history. Captain Commanding Tauber commanded proudly, with a natural dignity and bearing that will set the standard for years to come. Ceremonies were conducted professionally and with pride. The Fall Field Day Tour of Duty was a positive achievement at every level and our service events were successful in meeting goals to assist the beneficiary organizations. We fulfilled our mission in this Company Year. It is up to us all to continue doing so as our new year begins. Our motto says it all: *Facta Non Verba, Deeds Not Words.*

NATIONAL HYMNS

My Country 'tis of thee
Sweet land of liberty
Of thee I Sing:
Land where my father died,
Land of the Pilgrim's pride,
From every mountain side.
Let freedom ring.



God save our gracious Queen,
Long live our noble Queen,
God save the Queen;
Send her victorious,
Happy and glorious,
Long to reign over us,
God save the Queen.



Two Countries by the sea,
Two nations great and free,
One anthem raise.
One race of ancient fame,
One tongue, one faith, we claim
One God whose glorious Name
We love and praise.

OFFICERS FOR 2002-2033

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Captain Commanding	COL Stuart P. Tauber
First Lieutenant	COL William J. O'Brien
Second Lieutenant	LT Daniel G. May

ELECTED COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Quartermaster	MAJ John F. Welch
Paymaster	COL James R. Littleton
Commissary Officer	LT Paul R. Mignosa
Personnel Adjutant	LT Cornelius J. O' Leary

APPOINTED COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Chief of Staff	LTC M. Joseph DeMatteo, PC
Adjutant	COL Thomas E. Richter

ELECTED NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

<u>Sergeants of Infantry</u>	<u>Sergeants of Artillery</u>
COL Robert E. Welch, Jr.	LTC Bruce W. Warren
SFC Laurence D. Hogan	SGT Kevin A. Bullock
COL Bernard J. Doherty	SGT Francis J. Magaletta
SGT Brian W. O'Malley	SGT Dennis C. O'Brien
SGT Richard W. Ronder	CPT Ilya A. Schneider
MAJ Gerard Fridmann	SGT Thomas H. Hillery

JUNE DAY 2003

**Head Table Guests
Boston Park Plaza Hotel Park Plaza, Boston, MA
June 2, 2003, 7:30 PM**

Podium Left

COL Stuart P. Tauber, P.C.
294th Commander 2002-2003

LT GEN H. Steven Blum
Chief of the National Guard Bureau

COL William J. O'Brien
First Lieutenant 2002-2003

GEN Sir Alex Harley, KBE, CB
Col. Commandant-Honourable Artillery Co.

LT Daniel G. May
Second Lieutenant 2002-2003

BGEN Craig A. Peterson
Commander, US Soldier Systems, Natick, MA

BGEN Joseph A. Milano, P.C.
Civilian Aide to Secretary of the Army

HON George Fergusson
Her Britannic Majesty's Consul General

BGEN Robert L. Marr, P.C.
Senior Past Commander Present

BGEN Donald Quenneville
Commander MA Air National Guard

COL Elmar Mader
Commander of the Swiss Guard at the Vatican

Ms Fay Norad
Director of US Veterans Services in Boston

COL Charles McGuire
CO of the 101 Regional Training Institute

CDR George Gillis
Mass. Maritime Academy Advancement Office

BGEN Robert M Durkee
Chaplain

COL Thomas E. Richter
Adjutant

Podium Right

CPT George M. Morrison
Captain Commanding

HON Kerry Healey
LT GOV of the Comm. of Massachusetts

LT Paul K Morrill
First Lieutenant 2003-2004

MGEN Reginald A. Centracchio
Adjutant General, RI National Guard

LT John E. Bradley
Second Lieutenant 2003-2004

BGEN Garry Pappas
STARC Commander & CO of MA Army NG

LTC M. Joseph DeMatteo, P.C.
Chief of Staff 2003-2004 & 280th Commander

HON Gabor Garai
Hungarian Consul General to Boston

RADM Vivien S. Crea
Commander, First Coast District, Boston

BGEN Bruce Zakauekus
Deputy CO. 94th Regional Support Command

COL Thomas Sellars
Commander 42nd Infantry Division Artillery

CDR Randall Neal
Commanding Officer of the USS Constitution

COL Alvin I. Lieberman
Chaplain

HON Thomas Materazo
Commissioner of Veterans Services for Boston

MAJ Hugh Edmunds, TA
VP, Honourable Artillery Co.



General Sir Alex Harley and Colonel Tauber

365TH JUNE DAY ANNIVERSARY BANQUET
BOSTON PARK PLAZA HOTEL PARK PLAZA
BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS
JUNE 2, 2003
7:30 P.M.

CAPTAIN COMMANDING
Colonel Stuart P. Tauber, 294th Commander

ADJUTANT
Colonel Thomas E. Richter

ADJUTANT RICHTER: Ladies and gentlemen, we are ready to start. Let me introduce myself. I am the incoming and the outgoing Adjutant, Colonel Tom Richter, and we're ready for the head table introductions.

Please rise and give a warm welcome to our head table guests. The Vice President of the Honourable Artillery Company of London, Major Hugh Edmunds, TD. (Applause)

The Commissioner of Veteran Services for the City of Boston, the Honorable Thomas Materazo. (Applause)

The former State Chaplain of the Massachusetts Army National Guard and Chaplain of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, Brigadier General Robert M. Durkee. (Applause)

A member of the Massachusetts National Guard and Chaplain of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, Colonel Alvin I. Lieberman. (Applause)

Representing Rear Admiral Bresnahan of the Mass. Maritime Academy is its Director of Advancement, Commander George Gillis. (Applause)

The Commanding Officer of our beloved USS Constitution, Commander Randall Neal. (Applause)

The Commanding Officer of the 101st Regional Training Institute, which has its historical roots in the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, Colonel Charles McGuire. (Applause)

The Commanding Officer of the 42nd Infantry Division Artillery, which provided the battery on Boston Harbor today, Colonel Thomas Sellars. (Applause)

The Director of the U.S. Veterans Administration in Boston, Ms. Fay Norad. (Applause)

The Deputy Commander of the 94th Regional Support Command, Brigadier General Bruce Zakauekus. (Applause)

The Commander of the oldest military organization in the world, the Swiss Guard at the Vatican, Colonel Elmar Mader. (Applause)

A member of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, Medal of Honor recipient, unable to be with us this evening, CPT Thomas Hudner.

The Commander of the Massachusetts Air National Guard, Brigadier General Donald Quenneville. (Applause)

The Commanding Officer of the First Coast Guard District in Boston, Rear Admiral Vivien J. Crea. (Applause)

The senior Past Commander present who commanded the Company in Moscow, Copenhagen and Dublin, the 265th Commander, Brigadier General Robert L. Marr. (Applause)

The Republic of Hungary Consul General in Boston, the Honorable Gabor Garai. (Applause)

Her Britannic Majesty's Consul General in Boston, the Honorable George Fergusson. (Applause)

The 280th Commander, who led the Company to Munich and Berlin in 1988, the incoming and outgoing Chief of Staff, Lieutenant Colonel M. Joseph DeMatteo. (Applause)

The 281st Commander, who took the Company to Washington, Tokyo and Thailand, presently serving as the Civilian Aide to the Secretary of the Army from Massachusetts, Brigadier General Joseph A. Milano. (Applause)

Representing the Adjutant General of Massachusetts, the STARC Commander and the Commander of the Army National Guard in Massachusetts, Brigadier General Gary Pappas. (Applause)

The Deputy Commanding General for Homeland Operations, U.S. Army Soldier Biological/Chemical Command in Natick, Massachusetts, Brigadier General Craig A. Peterson. (Applause)

The newly commissioned Second Lieutenant of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, Lieutenant John E. Bradley. (Applause)

The outgoing Second Lieutenant from the year 2002-2003, Lieutenant Daniel G. May. (Applause)

The Commanding Officer of the Rhode Island National Guard and the Adjutant General of Rhode Island, Major General Reginald A. Centracchio. (Applause)

From the Honourable Artillery Company of London, its Colonel Commandant, General Sir Alex Harley. (Applause)

The Incoming First Lieutenant, Lieutenant Paul E. Morrill. (Applause)

The outgoing First Lieutenant, Colonel William J. O'Brien. (Applause)

The Chief of the National Guard Bureau in Washington, D.C., our guest speaker this evening, Lieutenant General H. Steven Blum. (Applause)

The official who presided at the commissioning ceremonies on Boston Common today, the Lieutenant Governor of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Her Excellency Kerry Healey. (Applause)

Our new Captain Commanding for the year 2003-2004, Captain George M. Morrison. (Applause)

And finally, the 294th Commander, who this year led the Company to Budapest, Bratislava, Vienna, making the entire membership proud, Colonel Stuart P. Tauber. (Applause)

CAPTAIN COMMANDING TAUBER: Post the Colors. (Playing of "The Star-Spangled Banner")

CAPTAIN COMMANDING TAUBER: Color Guard, post the Colors. (Posting of Colors)

CAPTAIN COMMANDING TAUBER: Please remain standing and give your attention to Brigadier General, Retired, Chaplain Robert Durkee.

CHAPLAIN DURKEE: Let us pray. Gracious Father, and God of all, we lift up to You this night our celebration of the 100th Anniversary of the coming together from our two great traditions, the Honourable Artillery Company and the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company. As that history and that moment is renewed in each of our lives and has been so beautifully so these past few days, we do now make ourselves more aware of the tradition that has gone on before, and we ask for those who have labored in this tradition that light may shine on their souls. We would give thanks, Blessed Lord, for the completion of combat, for the cessation from oppression, in the war in Iraq. Now, as we are building a new peace and justice in the Middle East and an end of terrorism, let Your grace be upon us. At the changing of leadership this night, in this great Company, passing from Captain Tauber to Captain Morrison and all of their staff, bless us in the days to come that all that we might do, all that we might say, be in honor and glorifying Your Name. Bless this food. Make us always mindful of the needs of others. Bring us safely through this night, in Your Holy Name. Amen.

ALL: Amen.

CAPTAIN COMMANDING TAUBER: Please remain standing and give your attention to the Adjutant for the First Regular Toast.

ADJUTANT RICHTER: Please raise your glasses. To the man who carries the burden that would truly make Atlas shrug, our Commander-in-Chief George W. Bush, the President of the United States of America.

ALL: Hear, hear.

CAPTAIN COMMANDING TAUBER: Please remain standing and give your attention to the Adjutant for the Second Regular Toast.

ADJUTANT RICHTER: To the Sovereign of our nation's dearest friend and most loyal ally, may she reign over a land of peace and prosperity for many years to come, Her Britannic Majesty, Queen Elizabeth II.

ALL: Hear, hear.

CAPTAIN COMMANDING TAUBER: Gentlemen, please remain standing and give your attention to the Adjutant for the Third Regular Toast.

ADJUTANT RICHTER: Almost four centuries ago Governor William Bradford of the Plymouth Plantation said, "As one small candle may light a thousand, so the light here kindled hath shown unto many, yea in some sort to our whole nation." Bradford was a man of faith and vision. A light kindled at Plymouth spread to the developing Commonwealth of Massachusetts, where people were free to dream and to give life to their dreams. The descendants of those first Pilgrims and the Pilgrims who joined them over the centuries have brought light unto darkness across the nation and to the farthest reaches of the globe, the light of free trade, of medicine, of spiritual renewal, of scientific enlightenment, of literature and art. The values of self-determination have been carried and are still carried by the sons and daughters of Massachusetts to wherever there is darkness.

Think of the quiet man, our own Colonel Ned Wolfe, teaching in a small rural school for handicapped children in Western China. He too heroically carries the light kindled at Plymouth so very long ago.

To the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, may we always share more light than darkness.

ALL: Hear, hear.

CAPTAIN COMMANDING TAUBER: Responding to the Third Regular Toast is our own Lieutenant Governor of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Her Excellency, Lieutenant Governor Kerry Healey. Please give her your attention. (Applause)

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR HEALEY: Thank you. On behalf of the Commonwealth, I would like to offer this toast: Tonight we mark the 350th Anniversary of the granting of the Charter of the Ancient and Honorable

Artillery Company by the General Court of Massachusetts. We also mark the centennial of the first visit of the Honorable Artillery Company of London.

Governor Romney and I appreciate your dedication and service to the Commonwealth. During our inauguration in January, this Company participated in our festivities. Tonight, we are together again.

The word "company" derives from the Latin "cum," meaning with, and "panis," meaning bread. In ancient times one only broke bread with friends. And so it is only appropriate that tonight we celebrate our coming together once again by breaking bread.

I would like to thank Joe Milano for his tireless work with the administration as our Aide de Camp. I wish to congratulate the outgoing Captain Commanding Stuart Tauber and his officers for faithfully serving the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. I also wish to congratulate incoming Captain Commanding George Morrison and his officers. God bless you, and God bless the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

ALL: Hear, hear.

CAPTAIN COMMANDING TAUBER: Lieutenant Governor Healey, on behalf of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, I am very pleased to make a presentation to you of our own Revere Bowl, with the inscription, "Her Excellency, Governor Kerry Healey, Lieutenant Governor of Massachusetts, on the 365th June Day Anniversary, June Day 2003." The inscription under it is our Company crest, and it is from "The Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts, Colonel Stuart P. Tauber, Captain Commanding," and I'm pleased to make this presentation to you. (Applause)

CAPTAIN COMMANDING TAUBER: Enjoy your dinner.
(Dinner served)

CAPTAIN COMMANDING TAUBER: Gentlemen, may I please have your attention. May I please have your attention. Please give your attention to the Adjutant for the Fourth Regular Toast.

ADJUTANT RICHTER: Please rise.

CAPTAIN COMMANDING TAUBER: Once we had a speaker up here from the United States Marine Corps, General P.X. Kelly. This has always been a very elegant and wonderful dinner, and we all enjoy it; but General Kelly got up to the mike and was asked to speak, and when he called for attention two or three times, he finally said, "I didn't fly all the way up here from Washington to listen to you guys talk. So, shut up when we get on the mike."

ALL: Hear, hear.

CAPTAIN COMMANDING TAUBER: That's my last shot, folks. Please give your attention to the Adjutant.

ADJUTANT RICHTER: The familiar streets and byways of this town are always so welcoming, no matter how far or how long we travel in this world. There's a charm in this city not found in most American cities. We celebrate the diversity of ethnic enclaves in Southie, the North End, and Chinatown. We revel in the diversions of world-class professional sports, collegiate athletics, museums of art and science, delightful public places, great music halls and theaters, historic venues, and marvelous restaurants. You could say, if you can't find it in Boston, you don't need it.

To our hometown, to the City of Boston.

ALL: Hear, hear.

CAPTAIN COMMANDING TAUBER: Please be seated. Responding to the toast is our very own 265th Captain Commanding, who has served for 25 years as Chairman of the City of Boston Zoning Commission. The Commander of the Company who took us to Moscow, Copenhagen and Dublin, far more eloquent than I have been, I give you Brigadier General Robert L. Marr. (Applause)

BRIGADIER GENERAL MARR: Good evening, everybody. Ladies and gentlemen, I would appreciate your attention. I'm very proud to respond to the toast for the City of Boston.

As you all know, Boston was founded in 1620. Although it was a small city, still a very small city, but despite its size, the City of Boston has earned national and world renown and fame in many different areas of endeavor. For example, in education, we have Boston University, Boston College, Northeastern, Harvard, MIT, Suffolk University, to name a few. We have wonderful teaching hospitals, internationally renowned medical research. Who hasn't heard of the Massachusetts General Hospital, the New England Medical Center, Harvard Medical Center, Dana-Farber, and Brigham and Women's Hospitals?

What about our insurance and financial institutions? Boston is the headquarters for some of the most famous names in the world of commerce: John Hancock, Prudential, Liberty Mutual, the New England. We're the home of Gillette, Fleet Bank.

And, what about our cultural assets? We have one of the most wonderful museums in the world, the Museum of Fine Arts. The Boston Symphony Orchestra is world renowned, and of course, our own Boston Pops, who did a duet with the Regimental Band of the Honourable Artillery Company of London. What a special thrill and pleasure that was for everybody who was there. (Applause)

You all know that Boston is the center of sports activity. We have the Boston Red Sox, we have the Boston Bruins, we have the Boston Celtics, we have the New England Patriots. Once it was the Boston Patriots. And our British friends would be pleased to hear that we have two professional British football teams, which we call soccer.

Boston has even made its mark in the world of construction in that our Big Dig, which is a tunnel running north/south underneath the entire city, called the Big Dig, is the largest public works project in the history of the United States.

And, lastly, Boston has been proud to host its military. Now, the Honourable Artillery Company of London, largely here tonight, they may have spawned — they did indeed spawn the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, but Boston, the City of Boston, has nurtured us for 365 years. I raise my glass to the City of Boston.

ALL: Hear, hear.

CAPTAIN COMMANDING TAUBER: Please continue dining.
(Dinner resumed)

CAPTAIN COMMANDING TAUBER: Gentlemen, please give me your attention. Please give your attention to the Adjutant for the Fifth Regular Toast.

ADJUTANT RICHTER: Before I ask you to rise, I would like to acknowledge the words that come from this podium that you heard in the church today and, also, on the fall tour. They're all the good words of my good friend Brigadier General Emery Maddocks. Stand up, Emery. (Applause)

I would ask you to please rise. There comes a time when brave men and women must stand up for what is right and just. There comes a time when warriors must confront the forces of darkness and evil. There comes a time when free men and women must defend the values of freedom and civilization. There comes a time when the chosen must face the reality that some things are worth dying for.

To those courageous men and women who have proven their willingness to fight and die for a way of life, the Armed Forces of the United States of America.

ALL: Hear, hear.

(Playing of Armed Forces songs)

CAPTAIN COMMANDING TAUBER: Please be seated.
Those Armed Forces songs were performed so brilliantly — please continue to give us your attention for a moment — so brilliantly performed by Lieutenant Colonel Stuart Watts and the Honourable Artillery Company Band. Thank you. (Applause)

At this time, it gives me great pleasure to introduce our main speaker of the evening, who will respond to the Toast of the Armed Services. It is

Lieutenant General H. Steven Blum, or General Steve Blum, the recently appointed Chief of the National Guard Bureau.

General Blum serves as the Chief of the National Guard Bureau in Arlington, Virginia. As Chief, he's the senior uniformed National Guard officer responsible for formulating, developing, coordinating all policies, programs and plans affecting more than half a million Army and Air National Guard personnel.

He's appointed by the President, serves as the principal advisor to the Secretary and Chief of Staff of the Army and the Secretary and Chief of Staff of the Air Force on all National Guard issues. As National Guard Bureau Chief, he serves as the Army's and Air Force's official channel of communication with the Governors and Adjutants General. Prior to his current assignment, General Blum served as Chief of Staff, United States Northern Command, in Bosnia. General Blum has commanded at every level, to include Special Forces Operational Detachment-A, a Light Infantry Battalion and an Infantry Brigade, as well as a Division Support Command. Prior to commanding the 29th Infantry Division (Light), General Blum served as Assistant Adjutant General for Army, Commanding General, Maryland Army National Guard, and Assistant Division Commander (Support) for the 29th Infantry Division (Light). General Blum served as the Commanding General for the Multinational Division (North) SFOR-10 in Operation Joint Forge in Bosnia- Herzegovina.

He graduated from the University of Baltimore, a B.A. in history; a master's degree from Morgan State College in social science; and a 1989 graduate of the Army War College.

His major awards and decorations include the Defense Superior Service Medal — he doesn't want me to tell you any of this; that's high enough — with a couple of Legions of Merit. He also holds a Master Parachutist Badge, Expert Infantryman Badge, and he is a qualified Canadian Parachutist Badge holder.

After all of that, it gives me great pleasure to introduce Lieutenant General Steve Blum to respond to the toast and speak to you this evening. (Standing ovation)

LIEUTENANT GENERAL BLUM: I'd like to ask military personnel to remain standing for just a moment. All uniformed military people on your feet. I want to respond to that magnificent toast, a tribute to our Armed Forces, Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, the greatest land, sea and air forces this country has ever fielded.

This year is the 30th Anniversary of the all-volunteer military. And, for those who thought it wouldn't work, you'd better pay attention to what's happening around the world. The best Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine and Coast Guard forces ever assembled in the history of our nation, proud young men and women doing land combat, peacekeeping, homeland defense all simultaneously, and they do it magnificently and better than anyone else when they do it together in a joint fight. (Applause)

And the only way that that great joint team gets any better is when they do it with our most steadfast, tough, hard-nosed and dependable allies, the land, sea and air forces of the United Kingdom. (Applause) Together, as some unfortunate people have found out, we cannot be beat.

So, a toast to the Armed Forces of the United States, and I'll take license tonight and say, and our staunchest, most steadfast and historical allies, the land, sea and air forces of the United Kingdom.

ALL: Hear, hear.

LIEUTENANT GENERAL BLUM: Okay. Please be seated, and I will give you my remarks, which I assure you are shorter than the introduction. (Laughter) I bet my mother wrote it.

The first thing I would say is thank you very much, Ancient and Honorable Artillery, for allowing me to come up here tonight and share this occasion with you. This is one hell of a party, and this is one great occasion. (Applause)

To the outgoing Captain, Stu, congratulations. Nice job. Great, great event. (Applause)

To the incoming Captain, congratulations and best wishes. (Applause)

I am extremely proud to be here tonight. This is one of the few places where

I'm the only one that doesn't talk funny. (Laughter) I thought I understood English until I got up here. I saw Al Mangone. I said, "Mangone, where are you sitting?" "Oh, I'm sitting over there with the guys with the hosses." I said, "Stu, what's he talking about?" He said, "He's talking about the lancers, the guys that ride on the horses, the mounties." "Got it, Al. Understand. Hosses."

You will have to bear with my below-the-Mason-Dixon-line English, and some of you perhaps can translate for the others at the table. What I'll attempt to tell you tonight is the real reason I'm extremely proud to be here. As we stand here and celebrate, the United States and the United Kingdom, who have always been militia nations, have organizations that are among the oldest on the planet, the oldest military organizations, the Honourable Artillery Company of London, territorial army, citizen soldiers of England or the UK, and they celebrate with the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company here tonight that is largely made up of citizen soldiers from many generations, and what I'm glad to see is that the generations continue and the tradition continues.

This is a magnificent celebration of great heritage, and you should be rightfully proud, because if it were not for these kinds of organizations and what they represent, our two nations would not exist. The Armed Forces, the institution of the Armed Forces, is what allows the freedoms that we in America and those of you in the UK enjoy to happen and to be taken for granted.

And, every once in a while, the mettle of our young generations is tested, and they have just passed the latest test with an outstanding performance. We have much to be proud of. (Applause)

As long as we have young men and young women with the courage and the commitment and the selfless sacrifice to put something bigger than themselves and their own interests ahead of their own interests, I think that the security and the prosperity and the longevity of both our nations is guaranteed. (Applause)

But, that doesn't mean that we're not going to have to change, and some of you have probably been reading in the papers that there are some changes coming, particularly with regard to the National Guard of the United States, which as we sit here tonight has 147,823 young men and women citizen

soldiers and airmen deployed in 24 countries around the world, right now tonight doing ground combat in Afghanistan, in Iraq, keeping the peace in the Balkans and Kosovo and Bosnia and the Sinai, doing nation building in about 38 other countries, as well as protecting the homeland right here, making sure that we can have a safe and secure event here tonight.

That's quite remarkable. That's twice the number of National Guard soldiers that were activated for Desert Storm just 11 years ago. And it's not over yet. The global war on terrorism is going to stress both of our countries, both of our nations for an indefinite period of time, and it will test our resolve, and it will test our commitment, and it will test whether we're going to be tenacious enough to see this to the end. We will pass that test as well. (Applause)

You've heard a lot about transformation. Transformation really happens right here in your head. It's not about equipment. It's not about high technology. It's not about money. It's about how you think.

And, how we think has got to change, because we are going back to the future. We're going back to where it all started about 32 miles from right here. We are going back to the Minutemen. We are going to get rid of the model that so many of you have known and have served in our Armed Forces, where you train, you're alerted, you mobilize, you train, you certify, and then ultimately may be deployed. That cannot be the paradigm for today's threats and tomorrow's emerging threats.

We have to go back to the Minutemen concept, because our enemies have redefined the battle space, and you are sitting in the rear area right now. We are at war, and you are in a combat zone, and we'd better wake up and start dealing with the realities that we're facing.

So, the National Guard can no longer be an organization that trains, alerts, mobilizes, takes weeks, months and sometimes up to a year to get ready, and then ultimately deploys. We will be late to lead. That's not what your family wants. That's not what your neighbors want. That's not what your elected officials expect. That would not serve this country well.

What we need to be is to be able to respond the way Captain Davis responded when he left his store or he left his farm or he left his plow and he grabbed

his musket and assembled on the village green. And, I hate to say who he had to assemble against (laughter), but that citizen militia Minuteman ultimately defeated the greatest land army on the planet at that time. And, we've got to go back to that.

So, we're going to see some restructuring, and we're going to see some changing of processes. Now, this isn't going to threaten our existence; it's going to ensure our existence. This isn't going to make us less relevant; it's going to make us essential.

And I wasn't kidding when I said we would do it best when we do it jointly. So, Massachusetts is going to have a Joint Force Headquarters effective 1 October, and it will have Army National Guard, Air National Guard, Coast Guard, Navy, Marine Corps and even Army reservists in there. (Applause)

So, that when we are called to respond, we know how to fight jointly. You don't suddenly show up on the field and know how to fight jointly. Where do you get the training, where do you get the experience, where do you get the opportunity to operate in a joint environment, and suddenly you're thrust into one and you're expected to be able to do that.

And, by the way, those of you who don't think you need the Coast Guard, who in here can walk across Boston Harbor? (No response) Good. Then we need the Coast Guard, because they own that piece of water, and they own the water out to 200 miles along the Atlantic Ocean, the Pacific Ocean, Gulf of Mexico, Mississippi River, all the Great Lakes. And there are only about six states in the 50 states that really don't have a significant Coast Guard presence. All others do. So why eliminate one of our great partners?

Also, we have something called the Department of Defense and the Department of Homeland Security, and there's a big dilemma as to how we're going to share intelligence with a civilian Homeland Security operation and the Department of Defense. The Coast Guard is your answer, through Title 14. They're in law enforcement in the Federal Code. They can share intelligence with DOD, and they can share intelligence with civilian law enforcement. They do it every day. They are the answer to the problem.

So, if I am the Commander of the Joint Force Headquarters - Massachusetts, I want them in my camp. I want them in my intelligence center. I want them in my training center. I want them in my logistics area so that I know the

capabilities and limitations of putting together that joint team. And I think you will see more and more of this as we move out after 1 October.

The Minuteman symbol is so powerful that I am going to change the symbology used at the National Guard Bureau, and the only symbol that will be used to stand for the National Guard of the United States will be the Concord Minuteman from hereinafter. (Applause)

And, we will start with the Chief of the Bureau's coin. We will no longer have the eagle with the cross, whatever they are on there, that means not much to anybody who looks at it. In fact, many of you wouldn't even recognize what that symbol is if I showed it to you. But you would all recognize what that Minuteman is, the Concord Minuteman with one hand on the plow, one hand with the musket in his hand. It speaks volumes, and it is exactly the essence of what the National Guard is all about.

Many people say, "Well, General Blum, you're walking away from a combat mission." No, I'm not. We are just playing a combat mission wherever that game happens to be, to use a sports analogy. Afghanistan and Iraq, to use that sports analogy, is a scheduled away game. We and other Minutemen like us better be ready for the unscheduled home game, and we will be. (Applause)

The motto of the National Guard will also be changed slightly, and it will be "Always ready. Always there." And, that will send a strong message to anyone who thinks we're unreliable, untrained and inaccessible. We will be ready. We will be relevant. We will be accessible.

We will be reliable. We will be the essential reserve component that this nation needs, because when you call out the National Guard in this country, you call up America, and you call up 5,300 communities and towns all across this land, from the Atlantic Ocean all the way out to Guam, and you bring all of that to the fight.

And, I don't think anybody can handle that kind of resolve, that kind of commitment and that kind of support for their Armed Forces. I don't think there's an adversary out there that will not crumble under that. And when you add reliable allies to that, it is an overwhelming, compelling force, and we will triumph over world terrorism.

I'm going to conclude my remarks now. Your Lieutenant Governor had to leave early, so what I'm about to say is not patronizing. I had a chance to talk with her before this dinner, and Massachusetts is truly blessed. Your Deputy Commander-in-Chief of the Massachusetts National Guard is a very, very savvy woman, and you are very, very well served with her being your Deputy Commander-in-Chief. And, she holds you in very high esteem, and she appreciates what the Ancient and Honorable Order really represents, the long continuum of service, the price paid in blood by those that went before you, so that those who come after us can enjoy the same freedoms that we enjoy.

So, as I close my remarks, if I could have everyone stand for one more unscheduled toast. This doesn't count against the official toasts. But, I'm watching the way people drink, and nobody is going to be offended by an extra toast. (Laughter) On a serious note, I would like to propose a toast to our fallen comrades who have died to keep our nations free.

ALL: Hear, hear.

LIEUTENANT GENERAL BLUM: Thank you, ladies and gentlemen. It has been my honor and privilege to be with you tonight. (Applause)

CAPTAIN COMMANDING TAUBER: Don't go away, General. Thank you so much, General Blum, for those provocative remarks. And as our guest here this evening and guest speaker, I want to present you with our token, the Revere Bowl, to "Lieutenant General H. Steven Blum, Chief of the National Guard Bureau, guest speaker on the occasion of the Honourable Artillery Company's Centennial Visit, June 2nd, 2003," our crest, and from us, "The Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts, Colonel Stuart P. Tauber, Captain Commanding." (Applause)

Thank you very much. Please be seated. (Dessert served)

CAPTAIN COMMANDING TAUBER: Would you please give me your attention. Your attention please. Please give your attention to the Adjutant for the Sixth Regular Toast.

ADJUTANT RICHTER: Please rise. As three beautiful jewels on the Danube necklace, Budapest, Bratislava and Vienna displayed their beauty

for us this past autumn. Steeped with thousands of years of history, these cities of hospitality and culture represent the best of the old Europe and the promise of the new Europe.

We thank the imperial cities of the Danube for hosting us with sincere warmth and charm. May they prosper. May they enjoy lasting peace. May they continue to welcome visitors from around the world to Budapest, Bratislava and Vienna, the imperial cities of the Danube.

ALL: Hear, hear.

CAPTAIN COMMANDING TAUBER: Responding to the toast to the cities of Budapest, Bratislava and Vienna, I am pleased to greet the Consul General of Hungary, Mr. Gabor Garai. (Applause)

HONORABLE MR. GARAI: Thank you for the wonderful toast. When you were in Budapest, I know that you saw some of the places that I recently saw. I just came back from a visit there. I arrived back in the United States this Friday. And, I hope that you took away from that visit the same feeling that I always get as an American who was born in Hungary, who has children and a family who are all American, which is that Hungarians love and respect Americans and have, for those 50 years of Communist rule, been dreaming about the idea of being a partner, of being an ally of the United States of America.

And, now that they are, now that they are a part of NATO, it is a wonderful feeling for all Hungarians. And, in fact when I was there, the Hungarian Parliament just approved sending troops to support the Iraqi peacekeeping effort. (Applause)

So, as a member of the coalition that fought in Iraq and as a member and as an ally of the United States, I am very pleased to receive that toast and thank you for your visit. (Applause)

CAPTAIN COMMANDING TAUBER: Please give your attention to the Adjutant for the Seventh Regular Toast.

ADJUTANT RICHTER: Once again, please rise. Dedication to duty is the hallmark of any military organization. We are honored this evening with the

presence of a distinguished officer who represents one of the most steadfast military units in the world.

For five centuries, the Swiss Guard has served as guardian of the Holy See, sentries at the historic portals of the Vatican, and lifeguards to the Holy Father of the Roman Catholic Church. The Swiss Guard embodies courage, tradition, history and pageantry, combined with the most modern security methods and weapons as it fulfills its holy mission. Ladies and gentlemen, to the Swiss Guard of the Vatican.

ALL: Hear, hear.

CAPTAIN COMMANDING TAUBER: Please be seated. Responding to the toast to the Swiss Guard, we are most pleased to have in attendance with us this evening the Commander of the oldest military organization in the world, the Swiss Guards.

For 500 years the Swiss Guard has only had 33 commanders. 33 commanders in 500 years. Today our guests wore the uniform of the Swiss Guard, a uniform on parade, the only time it has been worn outside of Switzerland, receiving special permission to wear it today with us. I am so pleased to introduce, responding to the toast of the Swiss Guard, Colonel Elmar Mader. (Applause)

COLONEL MADER: I should better wear my eyeglasses. They make me look a little bit older, because I am too young to speak here. (Laughter)

This is only the third time I put foot on American territory. The first time it was 14 years ago. I adored the nature of Minnesota. I was fascinated by the City of Los Angeles. Then I put foot on the U.S.S. Karen, a destroyer. This time I am really meeting the people of the United States, and I really appreciate this unique opportunity to be here. This is really — the last two or three days I am here, there are so many contacts, and I believe strongly that these contacts become friendships. (Applause)

What I prepared at home to say tonight was already said this afternoon when Brigadier General Emery Maddocks was speaking about the tradition of this Company. I would only add a few words to that.

I think you are not the Company that stands together until it is over, until the problem is resolved. I think you are the Company that stands together because you have a common target, a common future that you work for. And, you work for this common future not on the military battlefield probably, not all of you, but in the daily life with your profession, with your work that you do, with your contribution to the society of this great nation.

And, this is a tradition of serving, and here we meet, the Swiss Guards and the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company. We've served for hundreds of years, whatever situation we found, and we will be serving in the future, as you will.

I would like to thank you. My adventure with the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company started in 2000, when you visited Rome. That was a great event for us. It was a great honor to have you with us in the Vatican, to show you a little bit of the smallest country in the world. And, then it started the many contacts that I had, personal contacts, and I was really longing for three years to come over here. You made it possible. And, I would like to thank especially Captain Commanding Tauber for the possibility of being here, and especially also Past Commander Joe Benoit, who was working hard on that, that I can come over.

And, I would like to invite you. You know, in 2006 we celebrate 500 years of the Swiss Guards. We have various occasions, various celebrations during the year. We are right about to set up our program, and I would like very much to invite the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company to celebrate this unique occasion with us in Rome. And of course I would like to invite also the Honourable Artillery Company of London so that we have a troop together three oldest military companies. (Applause)

You say "Facta non verba." So for me that means you need a gift. I would like to give you some honor guards, some Swiss Guards, for the moment only this frame of Swiss Guards, and I hope in the near future I can put beside you some real Swiss Guards here in Boston. (Applause)

CAPTAIN COMMANDING TAUBER: Thank you, Colonel. This obviously will take a significant spot in our library at Faneuil Hall. Thank you very much. (Applause)

Gentlemen, give your attention to the Adjutant.

ADJUTANT RICHTER: Once again please rise. There is a cynical view of international relations that nations do not have friends, they have interests. However, in the past century, the very special relationship between the United States of America and the United Kingdom has transcended mere national interests.

There may in fact be examples of one of our nations supporting the other to its own detriment. In fact, contrary to its own national interests, the United States and the United Kingdom come to our mutual friendship out of a very special legacy of civilization, of sense of fair play, common humanity, shared values and common law. The bond is so much more than the more or less common language.

The special relationship between the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts and the Honourable Artillery Company of London is emblematic of the special bond between our two nations. Friendship supplants selfish interest.

To the Honourable Artillery Company of London.

ALL: Hear, hear.

CAPTAIN COMMANDING TAUBER: Please be seated. General Sir Alex Harley was commissioned from Sanders into the Royal Artillery in 1962. After a very regimental career, attendance at the State Canadian Staff College and service in the MOD as a staff officer, he commanded the 19th Field Regimental Royal Artillery in Germany and in Northern Ireland.

In 1982 he was Director of the Joint Operations Center, the MOD for the Falklands War. Having commanded the armored brigade in Germany and been Chief of Operations in Headquarters Northern Ireland Group, he was the Deputy Director of Operations for the Gulf War. He was then the Administrator of the Sovereign Based Areas and Commander, British Forces Cyprus, before returning to be Deputy Chief of Defense, Staff Commitments, in the MOD.

In 1997 he became Adjutant General of the British Army. He has a major involvement, by the way, and we Bostonians can appreciate this, in hockey. The President of the Combined Services, he and his wife Ann have two sons, one in medicine and another in estate management, none in the service at this time, I guess.

I am so pleased to present the Colonel Commandant of the Honourable Artillery Company of London, General Sir Alex Harley. (Standing ovation)

COLONEL COMMANDANT HARLEY: Colonel Tauber, Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts, ladies and gentlemen, I hope you will forgive me if I start off by indulging in a couple of messages to and fro Buckingham Palace. I thought perhaps you wouldn't mind too much, because from what I see of the press in America, you are just as interested in our Royal Family as our press in the United Kingdom.

But, I sent a message to the Palace earlier on in May. "I would be grateful" — and this was to the Queen's secretary — "I would be grateful if you would convey my humble duty to Her Majesty the Queen and inform Her Majesty that the President and members of the Honourable Artillery Company express their continued loyalty and devotion on the occasion of the 50th Anniversary of her coronation," which is today, the 2nd of June. (Applause)

The letter went on to say, "A group of more than 200 members of the Company will be dining on that day at the end of the centenary visit to the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company in Boston, Massachusetts. Her Majesty may recall being presented to the Captains of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company on her visit to Armoury House in December of 2002. We will have great pleasure in toasting our Captain General on this happy occasion."

And, I have received a reply from the Palace. "I much appreciate your kind message of loyal greetings sent on behalf of the members of the Honourable Artillery Company on the occasion of the 50th Anniversary of my coronation. As your Captain General, I thank you for your thoughtfulness in writing and send my warm wishes to all those who are dining together at the end of their visit to the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company in Boston, Massachusetts. Elizabeth R." (Applause)

Well, this is the final serial of our firepower, I suppose, of four days of these two great companies working together. And, from the point of view of the HAC, we thank the AHAC for their friendship, hospitality, generosity and openness in including us in your ceremonies.

ALL: Hear, hear. (Applause)

COLONEL COMMANDANT HARLEY: If it were possible at all, these last four or five days have even further advanced the close ties of our two companies and the close ties of our two countries, where our history has been very much born out of combat together. And of course General Blum's remarks about the performance of our two armies in Iraq and Afghanistan recently, I thank you very much for, sir, in the way that you expressed it.

But, I too sympathize with the remarks, because I think it's extremely humbling that our two countries can produce a warrior breed of young men and women who are prepared to put themselves in harm's way for the good of the world and are prepared to go to do this anywhere, any time, whatever the danger, whatever their family circumstances are. And, this is a truly ancient ethos that applies, not only to our regular forces, but our territorial and National Guard forces. (Applause)

But, the memories of our stay will last with us for quite a long time, I am quite sure. I am very fortunate that this event has taken place in my time as President and Colonel Commandant. We shall long remember the parade today, and also part of the parade was the service in St. Paul's. And, I thought it was typically generous that the final hymn was sung to our national anthem, but the first and third verses were absolutely typical of the things that bind our two nations and our two companies. (Applause)

I think all of us will treasure that particular part of the ceremony, and I for one have certainly put the program in my pocket to remember that particular part of the service.

You have been generous in many other ways, and, of course, the Old Ironsides clock which you very kindly presented to us is already very carefully wrapped up and tomorrow morning will be on its way back to England. It's not going to be entrusted to those that are going via Nantucket and Washington and elsewhere. It is going directly to Armoury

House in England, where those of you that come our way will be sure to see it in London.

That said, if I could digress just for a moment to do two or three presentations. The first one is that we would like to, together with our congratulations, give a small memento on this visit, for all that he has done towards it, to the new Captain. And it comes with our congratulations, George, for all that you have done in preparing this visit, and particularly your part in the magnificent Boston Pops performance the other day. Here is a little statuette of a Highland Musketeer. (Applause)

Secondly, to the actual Ancients themselves, we have found in London the original copy of the 4th of June sermon of 1744 — sorry, I said original copy. I don't mean copy. I mean the original document, the first edition of the 1744 June Day sermon. We have had it bound, and we would very much like to pass it across to its rightful owners, which must be here in Boston. (Applause)

If I can just open the first page, you can see that it's old and scruffy and tattered, and it does go back to 1744. (Applause)

Colonel Stuart, if you could still remain standing, because we would also like to pass on a presentation to you for all that you have done with us over the last year and these four days.

We are very sad to see you go, for all these relationships that you have struck up, and I have a small presentation for you, which actually is also returning back to America, because in 1903 your Company struck a whole series of china plates commemorating the 1903 get-together that we are commemorating 100 years of today.

We do have, and I don't quite know how, two or three of these left from 100 years ago, and we would very much like to give you personally, because I know you have one in the museum, but this one is actually for you, Stuart. (Applause)

He is going to be very frightened to drop it. (Applause)

If I might just finish these couple of thank-yous by just singling out, because I know the Honourable Artillery Company will not forgive me for not thanking at least three of our number who have been instrumental on our side in making these arrangements and those are Basil Bicknell, Alastair Bassett-Cross and Dai Griffiths. I know they have worked with some others, but they deserve our thanks. (Applause)

But we've also been deeply grateful for the help, advice and support of Major General Jim Lynch and the London Association and the so-called Ten Of Us, and I shall never forget the Ten Of Us and the lobsters we have had. So, thank you very much. (Applause)

Finally, it was my intention to say au revoir, but knowing that French lingo doesn't perhaps go over all that well here (laughter), I'll skate over that right quickly. But, I did appreciate the French invitation, slightly dangerous. We've got a bit of time to practice and get ready for you in 2006. But, anyway, it was very kind. Thank you very much indeed for that invitation.

It would be lovely to think that we could all join up together in the Vatican. But, because, as I said, it is the final series of these four days, in the Honourable Artillery Company we have a rather nice toast which recognizes the end of a thoroughly good session, and we have a toast to something called "To our next merry meeting." And, I wondered if I could ask everybody to rise and raise their glasses and drink to our next merry meeting. To our next merry meeting.

ALL: Hear, hear. (Applause)

CAPTAIN COMMANDING TAUBER: First, I would like to call the Adjutant General of Rhode Island, Major General Reginald Centracchio, to the mike, please. I think they have a presentation for the Honourable Artillery Company.

MAJOR GENERAL CENTRACCHIO: I do, and thank you so much. I want to ensure that the Honourable Artillery Company goes back with a correction to the misconception that Rhode Island is the smallest state. We are not. In fact, at low tide we beat Delaware. (Laughter) I do also take this opportunity — this is about the 13th or 14th year that I have been honored to be invited here, and I publicly thank the people

of Massachusetts for evicting Roger Williams from Massachusetts back in 1635. He formed the State of Rhode Island in 1636. And, if he didn't, I wouldn't be the Adjutant General. So thank you so much. (Laughter)

I do have a proclamation from our state, and I would like to call my Chief of Staff, Colonel Dave Russell, to come to the podium to read that, please.

COLONEL RUSSELL: "The State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations Gubernatorial Proclamation: Whereas the Honourable Artillery Company, organized in 1537 in London, England, made its first journey to the United States of America in 1903; and whereas during that visit the Honourable Artillery Company was greeted in Providence, Rhode Island, by members of the Kentish Guards and the entire Rhode Island Militia as they paraded through our capital city; and whereas, as Commander in Chief and Captain General, along with the Kentish Guard and all of the citizens of the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations, offer greetings and salutations on the 100th Anniversary of your historic first journey and your notable return to the United States in June of 2003.

"Now, therefore, I, Donald L. Carcieri, Governor of the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations, do hereby proclaim June 2, 2003, as Honourable Artillery Company Day in the State of Rhode Island and encourage all of its citizens to recognize the contributions of the Honourable Artillery Company to our state and nation.

"In recognition whereof I have hereby set my hand and caused the Seal of the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations to be hereunto affixed this 2nd day of June, 2003. Signed Donald L. Carcieri, Governor." (Applause)

CAPTAIN COMMANDING TAUBER: Please be seated. He's not done yet. What did I say the other day at the Armory? "Santa is going back up the chimney." Well, he came back down.

On behalf of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, I want to present you with this Chippendale tray. Chippendale is an English, I guess, model for furniture, but for silver it is distinctly American.

"To General Sir Alex Harley, KBE, CB, Colonel Commandant, Honourable Artillery Company, on your Centennial Visit, October 1903 - June 2003." The crest of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company is under that.

"From the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts, Colonel Stuart P. Tauber, Captain Commanding, 2002 - 2003." Thank you. (Applause)

COLONEL COMMANDANT HARLEY: Can I just add I'm frightfully sorry I'm still standing up here, but I haven't been allowed to escape, and it would be an extremely naughty thing to do. (Laughter) Thank you very much. (Applause)

CAPTAIN COMMANDING TAUBER: Thank you, General Harley.

And now, we come to the end of our program. Please give your attention to the Adjutant for the Ninth Regular Toast.

ADJUTANT RICHTER: Before I ask you to rise — seeing this is the last one, I'm almost empty — I just want to say to General Blum, we did not know your comments, your speech, when we wrote this last toast to the Ancients, but we're very pleased that it has a common theme.

Please rise. Over 360 years ago this Company was chartered and mustered to serve the need of the common defense. Since 1638, gentlemen of this Grand Old Company have rallied to the cause of city, state, nation and the greater good.

Our mission has evolved, but we still provide service and conserve the traditions and ideals that have stood this Company over the centuries. Our members still rally to the Colors as they have in all our conflicts since 1638. Ladies and gentlemen, raise your glasses to the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts.

ALL: Hear, hear.

CAPTAIN COMMANDING TAUBER: Will you please be seated. I'd put my glasses on now. I took them off, but I realize there is no need to have them on; I have no notes. I don't say that to place any fear in any of your hearts that you're going to be here for 45 minutes listening to me, because that happens when somebody doesn't have notes in front of them. I just want to make a couple of remarks to all of you here, my dear friends.

It's the end of a most glorious year for me, a great, great experience. I spent a long time in the Army, the Army National Guard. I commanded

four different units through my career, served on staffs. But I must tell you, maybe it's my advanced age, but commanding the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company was a great privilege, and I only hope I have served all of you well as your Captain. (Applause)

I think back to when this all started and I read the Declaration of Independence the first time I took command of the Company really, followed by our fall trip. And, my, what a trip it was. It was absolutely unbelievable to me how wonderfully you all presented yourselves in those countries and what great pride you brought to any uniform of the United States Services. You were magnificent, and I was so proud to be your leader.

Again, aside from that, I uncovered so many, many memorable histories, things about my own family, which were surprising to me on that trip, but will be forever implanted and indelible in my memory and my heart.

I'll never forget when Colonel Bruce Sweeney, the defense attaché in Budapest, came to me after the two ceremonies, one at the Dohany Street Synagogue where we placed a wreath on the Holocaust victims at that synagogue, and as we marched out, some of those old members of the Jewish community touched our sleeves as we left the synagogue after the memorial service, and then again we proceeded on to the cemetery where we honored those fallen in the great revolt of 1956 when the Hungarians vainly attempted to overthrow the yoke of oppression. Things come around, and they're free now, and what a blessing that is.

But, as I said, Colonel Sweeney came to me at the end of those two ceremonies in the hotel, when we came back at noon, and said to me, "Stu, I go to these things 20 times a week, and you guys brought me to tears with this one." And it really touched me, and it should touch all of you who performed so admirably.

On we went to Bratislava, Slovakia, where I found the birthplace of my father and my grandparents. And we had a most marvelous banquet with the President of Slovakia in attendance. That was quite a thing, ambassadors, attaches, all throughout the audience. It was marvelous.

On we went to Vienna, a most beautiful city, where we laid a wreath on the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier. I was told by the members of the military

or the veterans of the military in Austria that day before we went on to the church service at the church where the Vienna Boys' Choir sings, they spoke to me about the fact that we didn't wear uniforms that day, with the exception of our color guard. We wore our blazers in respect to the Austrian government who, out of their neutrality, do not necessarily appreciate uniforms being worn throughout the city.

And, I was talking to a retired general from the artillery that was there, and he said to me, "You know, interestingly enough, while we're a neutral nation, all during those years of the Cold War, the guns of our artillery always pointed East." That was quite a statement to make, because we know where the hearts of their people were, with freedom and with the Western alliances. At any rate, that was the trip, and I'm not going to take you through the whole year, but it was one thing after another. The inauguration was wonderful. We were privileged to participate in the inaugural event of our new Governor, Mitt Romney, and then of course the normal parades and ceremonies, Patriots Day and such.

But, we were most privileged to be in the command staff of the year when the Honourable Artillery Company of London came here to celebrate the 100th Anniversary of their visit in 1903, and what a weekend it's been. Not to belabor it, everyone else has spoken about it, but I must tell you what a warm feeling I have received from all of you people from London.

I thought the messages from General Harley here, from Her Majesty the Queen's secretary, were quite interesting. I frankly think that it was nice that they asked for the palace to do that. I truly believe that it's because of the great friendship that was struck between George Morrison and myself and the Queen of England at her visit to the Honourable Artillery Company when General Harley so graciously introduced us to her. But, once again, it's been a wonderful year. I want to thank all of you. I want to thank my staff. Without them, we could never have accomplished the things we did. It's been a great honor to serve you. And, I just want to take one moment now to thank — I've thanked most of the staff personally and with certain gifts from time to time. I want to take this one moment to thank two people who have been extremely supportive of my command all year. I would like Paul Morrill and George to please stand up here, if they would. (Applause)

Paul's been giving me the business all week. I could have given this to him a couple of weeks ago, but I wanted it to be a surprise. He kept telling me, "We get nothing. You guys get everything, and we get nothing." I kind of bit my tongue.

This is a Jefferson Cup. It is made out to "First Lieutenant Paul Morrill, for all your support," and it's once again inscribed by me, "Captain Commanding Colonel Stuart Tauber," in recognition of the great support and great work he did in helping me all year. (Applause)

And now, George, I have a small gift for you, a token of my appreciation for all the work you've done. And, I might mention just without George, the Pops would never have happened. There were so many things happening this weekend. He took this bull by the horn and ran with it, and all I had to do was ask, "How are things going?" "Everything is great." And he just ran with it, and we had one heck of an evening. (Applause)

And, I want to present him with this. It is a Patrick Henry Cup. The beads around it are significant. Virginia history, Patrick Henry, those of you who know a little bit about American history —

LIEUTENANT GENERAL BLUM: A Southern Massachusetts boy.

COLONEL TAUBER: That's right, a Southern Massachusetts boy. I'm not going to get into the history, but it's for George, and I said, "Captain George Morrison, for all your support," and once again, my inscription on it, and I want to thank George personally for what he's done. (Applause)

In summary, I just want to say this. We're very lucky. I want you to know that you have a wonderful staff coming in, a terrific Captain coming I can't tell you how pleased I am. George is my friend, he was a sergeant with me in this Company. You're a very lucky group out there to have George, Paul, John Bradley and their staffs coming in to take command of this Company, and I just feel very comfortable leaving at this time and taking my place among the ranks with the rest of you.

Thank you all, and God bless the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company. (Standing ovation)

CAPTAIN COMMANDING TAUBER: Before I turn it over to George, I just want to say, in Budapest, in Bratislava, every time I pick up a mike, I'm starting to get choked up around here. It's really not like me. But, I will say this: I even got choked up when I took the last inspection trooping the line, and I heard the strains of "She Wore a Yellow Ribbon" and "Gary Owen." Being a cavalryman, that really touched me. Thank you all. Good night. (Applause)

CAPTAIN COMMANDING MORRISON: Please be I have two bits of good news for you right away. We're almost there, and number two, there will be no more toasts, not tonight anyway.

Let me tell you very, very briefly how proud I am to be your Captain Commanding and what a privilege it is to wear this gorget representing our great Company. I am really thrilled, and it's a tremendous privilege to be part of this Company, number one.

But, number two, to be standing here tonight with all of you and the recognition that we've received over the past few days from yourself as well as our comrades from Britain, it's just been wonderful, and I thank you all for this privilege. I indeed will stand tall for each of you and do the best of my ability. Thank you very, very much, gentlemen. (Applause)

One of the most important parts of our program this evening is performing the gorget ceremony to our, I guess I can call him, Past Commander Tauber. I would like to call forward at this time the 265th Captain Commanding, Brigadier General Robert L. Marr, who is the senior Past Commander present at the banquet tonight. (Applause)

BRIGADIER GENERAL MARR: Thank you, Captain. It falls on my shoulders tonight as the senior Past Commander present to invite, on behalf of all of the Past Commanders, Stuart P. Tauber into the Society of Past Commanders.

As he has just spoken to you, he has conveyed more eloquently than I could the warmth, the sincerity, the wisdom of his personality. He has been just a tremendous leader for this Company. He has led us very, very well. And, on behalf of the Society of Past Commanders, I want to welcome him into the Society by presenting him with the miniature gorget, the symbol of the Past

Commanders, now that he is no longer the Captain Commanding. Here is your gorget to be worn from here on in. (Applause)

(Presentation of gorget)

CAPTAIN COMMANDING MORRISON: Thank you, Brigadier General Marr. I would like to take the liberty of thanking two people. Let me first of all go back one step. I would like to introduce first of all Colonel Thomas Sellars, Commanding Officer of the 42nd Division Artillery Massachusetts Army National Guard for a final presentation. (Applause)

COLONEL SELLARS: Colonel Tauber, please stand. Representing the members of the 42nd Infantry Division Artillery, members of the 29th Infantry Division Artillery, and the 102nd Field Artillery, I would like to personally thank you for your service as Captain Commanding of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company. Your service to the active and retired members of the Mass. Army National Guard has been tremendous, and we certainly appreciate everything you've done for us. Thank you very much. (Applause)

CAPTAIN COMMANDING TAUBER: Thanks, Tom. Well, I've got the other end of the bookends now, and thank you very much. (Applause)

COLONEL SELLARS: I would like to ask Second Lieutenant John E. Bradley please to come forward. (Applause)

On your appointment as Second Lieutenant in the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, as the Senior Commander of all field artillerymen in the Commonwealth, I wish you all the best in your service, and any help that we can give to you, please do not hesitate to call upon us.

LIEUTENANT BRADLEY: I appreciate it. Thank you, sir. (Applause)

CAPTAIN COMMANDING MORRISON: Recognition of distinguished Past Commanders at this time. I would like to have all the distinguished Past Commanders please rise for a round of applause and a thank-you from us for all of your support throughout the year, and I know that will continue in the future. Please rise, Past Commanders. (Applause)

I am out of order, but I'm going to take the liberty of doing this anyway. I am fortunate enough to have a very large family. I would like to introduce this table sitting here, which is a part of my family — it's not all of them, it's a part of my family — if I may.

Let me start with introducing the youngest sitting right here, which happens to be my grandson, who is a class president this year, Ryan Tepper. Please stand, Ryan. (Applause) Ryan, if you could stay standing, and if you could hold your applause, I'll go around, and we can do the applause afterwards.

His dad is sitting here also, my son-in-law, Michael Tepper. Also son-in-law Michael Russo. Son-in-law Thomas Theos. My brother-in-law, Navy retired, David Simmons. My brother Gordon Morrison. My brother, who is also Air Force retired, Paul Morrison.

I have a brother who flew in from Atlanta, Georgia, to be with us today, Air Force retired, Richard Morrison. A brother who flew in from St. Louis, Missouri, Air Force retired, Charles Morrison. And lastly, my partner in business, my friend and my son, George. Thank you, gentlemen. (Applause)

At this time I would like to call on Colonel Chaplain Lieberman for the benediction. Please rise.

COLONEL CHAPLAIN LIEBERMAN: I suppose you are wondering why I've summoned you here this evening. Would you like to have the short form, seeing the time? Or, would you rather have the very short form? (Laughter)

All I can tell you is that, watching all of the uniforms today and all of the people in those uniforms was so wonderful, and it gave me a sense of strength, more courage, and more hope for the future, and I hope that you share in those feelings that we all experienced together as a very wonderful merged group.

So now, with our thanks to God, let me say the following: Dear God, what a wonderful day this has been. The weather was perfect. And we and all of our friendly units were so cooperative and excellent in bearing that it was a pleasure to watch.

This evening is a time of great pleasure and celebration, and we ask for the following: We ask that we be cheerful, kind and friendly, that we seek the good in all and the enmity in none, that we try never to criticize, make no promise we cannot keep, that we be calm in time of trouble, think before we speak, hold onto our temper when things go wrong, and every day through word and deed in some unselfish way may we try to make someone happy. And, may God help us to see our prayers answered.

And, therefore we ask You, Dear God, may the light of God surround us all, may the love of God enfold us all, may the power of God protect us all, and may the presence of God watch over us all. Wherever we are, we realize that God is there for us, and for this we are most thankful, and let us say amen.

ALL: Amen.

COLONEL CHAPLAIN LIEBERMAN: Thank you very much. (Applause)

CAPTAIN COMMANDING MORRISON: Gentlemen, two quick thank-yous and then we wrap up. A gentleman who works very hard constantly for us throughout the year, but especially this past weekend, and does not get very much recognition, our Adjutant, Colonel Thomas Richter at the end here. (Applause)

All of the events this weekend to me were outstanding. The Pops to me was a hit, it was a home run. And just about every event, from the State House to the clambake to the parades today to the Pops, we were entertained by Colonel Stuart Watts and his band, and they deserve a tremendous round of applause. Well done. (Applause)

At this time, if you would please stand on your feet — we would love for you to join in — we're going to close with Colonel Stuart Watts leading us in "God Bless America." (Playing of "God Bless America") (Applause)

CAPTAIN COMMANDING MORRISON: This officially brings to a close the 365th June Day Anniversary banquet. We are adjourned. (Whereupon the proceedings were adjourned at 11:01 p.m.)

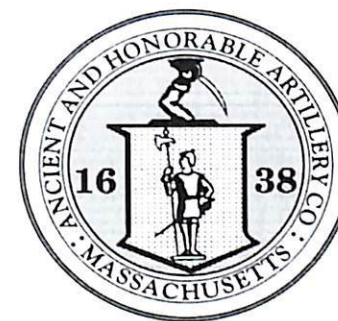
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Carol H. Kusinitz
Registered Professional Reporter



COL Stuart P. Tauber
Captain Commanding



365th Anniversary

June 2, 2003

Ancient & Honorable Artillery Company
of Massachusetts

Boston Park Plaza Hotel
Boston, Massachusetts



Captain's Letter

It has been an honor and a privilege to serve as the 294th Captain Commanding of The Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts.

This year's Fall Field Day Tour of Duty was truly memorable. We continued to uphold our great traditions as we honored our values of respect for liberty, democracy and the sacrifice of our armed services and the armed services of our allies. Traveling through Eastern Europe and the cities of the old Hapsburg Empire, we showed that we stood for the very best in American citizenship and American ideals. I was personally touched by the uncovering of my own history and my family's past in Hungary, Slovakia and Austria.

Throughout the year, I was constantly impressed by the pride and dedication of each and every member of the Company. All of our parades and commemorative activities were well attended. The staff was active and took part in all activities providing me, as the commander, with excellent support.

This June Day anniversary will be a most touching experience for our company. Our parent organization, The Honourable Artillery Company of London, is making a centennial visit. It could not be more meaningful in light of current world events. Great Britain has proved to be our nation's strongest ally and we could not have any stronger linkage than through our historic ties to the HAC. This is a truly great occasion.

In closing, I believe these great years will continue. I wish all of you the very best. I know that you will "continue to march" with your next captains, especially next year's captain, my friend and great supporter, Captain George Morrison.

Good luck and God bless you all.



Captain Commanding
COLONEL STUART P. TAUBER
294th Commander

Lieutenant General H. Steven Blum

Lieutenant General H. Steven Blum serves as Chief, National Guard Bureau, Arlington, VA. As Chief, he is the senior uniformed National Guard officer responsible for formulating, developing and coordinating all policies, programs and plans affecting more than half a million Army and Air National Guard personnel. Appointed by the President, he serves as the principal adviser to the Secretary and Chief of Staff of the Army, and the Secretary and Chief of Staff of the Air Force on all National Guard issues. As NGB Chief, he serves as the Army's and Air Force's official channel of communication with the Governors and Adjutants General. Prior to his current assignment, General Blum served as Chief of Staff, United State Northern Command.

General Blum has commanded at every level to include a Special Forces Operational Detachment – A, a Light Infantry Battalion and an Infantry Brigade, and a Division Support Command. Prior to commanding the 29th Infantry Division (Light), General Blum served as Assistant Adjutant General for Army, Commanding General, Maryland Army National Guard, and Assistant Division Commander (Support), 29th Infantry Division (Light). General Blum served as the Commanding General for Multinational Division (North) SFOR-10 in Operation Joint Forge, Bosnia Herzegovina.

EDUCATION:

1968 University of Baltimore – BA Degree – History
1973 Morgan State College – MS Degree – Social Science
1989 Army War College

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Defense Superior Service Medal
Legion of Merit (with 2 bronze Oak Leaf Clusters)
Army Meritorious Service Medal (with 2 bronze Oak Leaf Clusters)
Army Commendation Medal (with 1 bronze Oak Leaf Cluster)
Army Achievement Medal (with 1 bronze Oak Leaf Cluster)
Army Reserve Component Achievement Medal (with 1 silver Oak Leaf Cluster)
National Defense Service Medal (with Bronze Star Device)
Armed Services Expeditionary Medal
Armed Forces Reserve Medal (with "M" Device and gold Hourglass Device)
Army Service Ribbon
Army Reserve Component Overseas Training Ribbon
NATO Medal
Special Forces Tab
Expert Infantryman Badge
Master Parachutist Badge
Air Assault Badge
Army Staff Identification Badge
Canadian Parachutist Badge



TOASTS

First Regular Toast

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

Second Regular Toast

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II

Third Regular Toast

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Fourth Regular Toast

CITY OF BOSTON

Fifth Regular Toast

ARMED FORCES OF THE UNITED STATES

Sixth Regular Toast

THE COUNTRIES OF AUSTRIA, HUNGARY & SLOVAKIA

Seventh Regular Toast

THE SWISS GUARDS

Eighth Regular Toast

**THE HONOURABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY
OF LONDON**

Ninth Regular Toast

**THE ANCIENT AND HONORABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY
OF MASSACHUSETTS**

Ancient & Honorable Artillery Company

June Day Dinner

Monday, June 2, 2003

Grand Ballroom

Mezzanine

Wild Mushroom Bisque with Sherry

Filet Mignon

with

Wild Mushrooms & Merlot

Yellow & Green Beans with Julienne Carrots

Garlic Mashed Potatoes with Caramelized Onions

Assorted Breads with Sweet Butter

Beringer Chardonnay and Stone Cellars Merlot

Napa, California

Hazelnut Truffle Ice Cream Bon Bon with Chocolate Sauce

Freshly Brewed Coffee & Tea

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Captain Commanding
COL Stuart P. Tauber



Second Lieutenant
Daniel G. May

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ANCIENT and HONORABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY OF MASSACHUSETTS

Chartered in 1638

The First Military Company Chartered in the Western Hemisphere

As the settlements, which followed the landing at Plymouth increased and spread, there was no organized military force for protection against the Indians. So-called "Train Bands" were formed in different settlements but these were only local volunteer companies and there was no joint action or centralized authority. Thus the subject of adequate military protection soon became a matter of serious consideration. Many of the settlers had been members in England of the Honourable Artillery Company at London (organized and chartered in 1537) and it was natural that the military training they had received in that Company should lead them to form a similar organization in the new country. In 1637 a Company was formed for instruction in discipline and tactics, and that year Governor Winthrop was petitioned for a Charter. He refused the request because he feared the establishment of a military force, which might overthrow the civil power. However, the Governor finally granted a Charter in March, 1638, and on the first Monday in June following, an election of Officers was held on Boston Common. The Common then being an open field leading down to the Charles River. The most convenient place to cast the ballots was on the head of the drum, which was placed in front of the Company. Since that time, the Company has maintained the tradition of holding their annual elections on the Boston Common on the first Monday in June by casting the votes on the Drum Head.

The first Captain commanding the Company was Robert Keayne, whose home was on the corner of State and Washington Street. Keayne had been a member of the Honourable Artillery Company of London. Upon his death he left in his will to the Town of Boston, the land at the head of State Street for a Town House together with money to build it, providing however, that "the Military Company of Massachusetts" should have a room in the Town House for an Armory. This is the land on which the old State House now stands, the gift of which was accepted by the Town of Boston.

Since 1746, the Company Armory has been the upper floor of Faneuil Hall - an historic citadel known to all Americans.

In its Armory, the Company maintains a Military Museum and Library, which is without equal in the United States. There are relics of every war in which this Country has engaged in since its settlement. Many of these are Museum pieces and have been on display at various times in the Boston Museum of Fine Arts. On the risers of the thirteen steps which lead up to the Headquarters room of the Company, commemorated in bronze plates, are the names of the thirteen States in the order in which they accepted the Constitution and their respective state flag is placed on the respective step. Around the walls of the Armory are the portraits of most of the

Captains who have commanded the Company since 1638 to the present day. The Armory is open to the public daily, and many thousands of visitors from every part of the country and many from abroad, are registered every year in the Guest Book.

The position of the members of the Company in the social, civil and military life of the Colony indicates the respect which people entertained for the Company as well as the ability and prominence of its members. They were first in organizing churches and supporting them, they were prominent in framing and also in administering the laws of the Colony; they were foremost in the introduction of manufacturing and the extension of trade in Boston. They were the chief military minds of the Colony and among the first in its defense. Many of them were public benefactors contributing somewhat of their wealth to education, religion and charity.

The members of the Company trod the fields of every battlefield of New England; they fought for freedom on foreign soil; they judged the courts; they pleaded at the bar; they instituted town government and levelled forests; they were active in settling the towns of the frontier. Nine-tenths of the Company were loyal to the Colonies in the Revolution, and by their experience in the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company they served on every battlefield where the banner of Massachusetts waved, from Bunker Hill and Bennington, through Valley Forge to Yorktown.

This is the Company that Washington knew, that Franklin saw march through the streets of Boston, that John Adams and John Quincy Adams visited; that has had eight members who received our nation's highest military decoration - the Medal of Honor - and has had four of its members serve in the world's most important office, President of the United States, President James Monroe, Chester Alan Arthur, Calvin Coolidge and John F. Kennedy; the same Company which has always stood for, and always will stand for, the best in citizenship.





HONOR ROLL OF PAST COMMANDERS

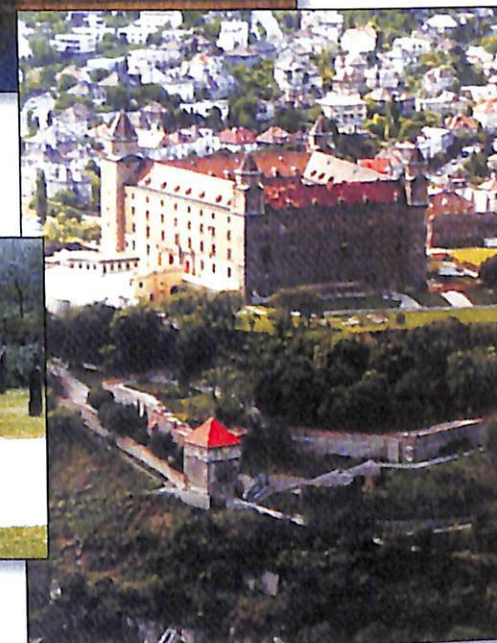
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262nd	CPT Edward J. Keelan	1971-1972	London/England
264th	BGEN Joseph S. Zareiko	1973-1974	Hamburg/Germany
265th	BGEN Robert L. Marr	1974-1975	Moscow/Copenhagen/Ireland
267th	MGEN John F. Cremens	1976-1977	Rio de Janeiro/Brazil
268th	CPT Robert D. Murphy	1977-1978	India/Yugoslavia
269th	MGEN James A. Lynch, Jr.	1978-1979	London/Brussels
271st	CPT J. Barry Driscoll	1980-1981	Ottawa/Vancouver
273rd	COL William F. DiPesa	1982-1983	Australia/New Zealand
275th	BGEN Joseph S. Loughman	1983-1984	Hong Kong
276th	COL Sylvester A. Ray	1984-1985	Rio de Janeiro/Brazil
277th	BGEN Joseph S. Loughman	1986-1987	Hamburg/Copenhagen
278th	BGEN William P. Koughan	1986-1987	Helsinki/Leningrad/Stockholm
279th	CPT Paul R. Tierney	1987-1988	London/Rome
280th	LTC M. Joseph DeMatteo	1988-1989	Munich/Berlin
281st	BGEN Joseph A. Milano	1989-1990	Washington, D.C./Tokyo/Bangkok
282nd	MAJ Arthur E. Nashawaty	1990-1991	Monaco/Amsterdam
283rd	BGEN Reynold P. Graunas	1991-1992	Budapest/Marbella
284th	COL Leonard J. Sacco	1992-1993	South Africa/Rio de Janeiro
285th	LTC Ernest C. Caggiano	1993-1994	Portugal/Malta/Sicily
286th	COL John F. McNulty	1994-1995	Australia/New Zealand
287th	CPT Roy S. Chase	1995-1996	Panama/Santa Domingo
288th	CPT Paul J. Mahoney	1996-1997	London/Paris/Ireland
289th	COL Richard A. Luccio	1997-1998	Munich/Prague
290th	COL John A. Moore	1998-1999	Ottawa/Vancouver
291st	CPT Albert G. Fiorenza	1999-2000	Helsinki/Tallinn
292nd	CPT Louis A. Zuliani	2000-2001	Rome/Berlin
293rd	CPT Joseph C. Benoit	2001-2002	Cayman/Honduras/Belize/Mexico



*365th FFTD - Budapest Palace
On the Danube*



Honoring the Hungarian Revolt of 1956



Bratislava Castle, Slovakia



*Honors at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier,
Hofburg Palace, Vienna*



COL Tauber, CC and LT GOV Kerry Healy, Captain's Final Review



HAC Pikemen and HAC Regimental SGT Major



HAC Light Cavalry



HAC Regimental Band



HAC Pikemen and Musketeers



HAC Regimental Band



HAC Pikemen and Musketeers



HAC Pikemen and Musketeers



RI Militia (Kentish Guards)



Captain's Final Review accompanied by LT GOV Healy



AHAC Sergeants 2002-03



HAC Regimental Band



HAC Pikemen and Musketeers



COL Stuart Tauber, CC and Mrs. Jacquelyn Tauber with LT GOV Kerry Healy



COL Stuart Tauber, CC and Mrs. Jacquelyn Tauber with LT GOV Kerry Healy



HAC of London Active Unit passing in review



(l to r) Lord Mayor, Gavyn Arthur, COL Tauber, CC, and LT Paul Morrill at POPS



Evening at the Pops: COL Elmar and Mrs. Mader, COL Thomas and Mrs. Svetlana Richter



Maestro John Williams and LT COL Stuart Watts, Honourable Artillery Company of London, Director of Music



(l to r) LT William O'Brien, COL Stuart Tauber, COL Elmar Mader and LT Dan May



HAC of London and AHAC Members lay a wreath at Captain Robert Keayne's tomb at Kings Chapel, June Day 2003.



HAC Statehouse Reception (l to r) Mrs. Jacquelyn Tauber, COL Stuart Tauber, CC; Sir Gavyn Arthur, Lord Mayor of London; CPT George Morrison and Mrs. Sharon Morrison



AHAC Armory Welcome and gift exchange: LT COL Stuart Watts presenting drum gift to COL Tauber

Ancient and Honorable
Artillery Company
of Massachusetts

2002



2003

Membership Roster
and Changes in Personnel

ROSTER OF MEMBERS JUNE DAY 2003

Name	Date Enrolled in Company
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RIGHT OF DESCENT MEMBERS

Anderson, Mr. James K.	20-Apr-82	D
Batten, MAJ Arthur D.	22-May-00	D
Davis, Jr., SGT Henry B.	23-May-83	D
Jones, LCR Catesby P.	09-Sep-96	D
Makepeace, William	05-Sep-95	D
Smith, Jr., MSG William E.	09-Feb-98	D
West, PFC Frederick H.	18-Apr-95	D

Regan, LT William A.	01-Apr-74	F
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HONORARY MEMBERS

Kelley, CMH CAPT Thomas G.	28-Jun-99	H
Mason, Jr., BG Oliver J.		H
Weld, HON William F.	20-May-91	H

LIFE MEMBER

Abare, CPT James C.	05-May-80	L
Abdella, COL Charles A.	03-Sep-85	L
Altieri, SGT Charles M.	05-May-80	L
Amendolare, BG Joseph T.	14-Jun-71	L
Armstrong, Jr., CPT Richard D.	17-May-82	L
Arnott, COL Thomas P.	17-Apr-79	L
Asadoorian, Leon	22-Apr-80	L
Bailey, COL James A.	05-May-75	L
Bailey, Jr., SGT Gage	29-Oct-74	L
Baldwin, William E.	13-Sep-76	L
Ballarino, COL Robert J.	07-May-84	L
Bandoian, SGT Stephen J.	11-Jun-84	L
Barrett, Ronald P.	06-Apr-81	L
Basile, LTC George H.	11-Sep-78	L

Basile, LTC Vincent D.	12-Sep-83	L
Began, LT Charles D.	01-May-67	L
Benard, COL Robert S.	17-Apr-79	L
Benjamin, LT Kenneth F.	05-May-75	L
Berman, SGT Lawrence W.	18-Apr-78	L
Bingle, LT Robert P.	05-Apr-76	L
Bonin, COL Robert O.	22-Apr-80	L
Botelho, LTC Richard E.	27-Jan-75	L
Bradley, LT John E.	27-Sep-69	L
Brodigan, LT Joseph J.	12-Jun-72	L
Buckley, LT Paul V.	11-Jun-84	L
Cabral, SGT Adalino	19-Sep-83	L
Caggiano, P.C. COL Ernest C.	08-Sep-75	L
Caldwell, CAPT Herbert C.	08-Sep-81	L
Callahan, LT Neil R.	24-May-65	L
Campaniello, COL Michael F.	02-Apr-84	L
Caparso, COL Richard C.	13-May-85	L
Carr, LT Paul	12-Sep-84	L
Carroll III, William J.	19-Apr-83	L
Casey, John C.	20-Apr-76	L
Chase, Sr, P.C. CPT Roy S.	09-Jun-75	L
Clegg, LTC Thomas E.	07-Sep-71	L
Clegg, SSG Stephen J.	08-Sep-75	L
Connors, LT Robert D.	20-Apr-82	L
Costello, Joseph P.	19-Sep-83	L
Costello, Jr. COL Robert H.	10-Feb-75	L
Covell, LT Paul J.	13-Jun-83	L
Cox, CPT Richard E.	17-May-76	L
Cuker, COL George	16-May-66	L
D'Auria, COL Louis A.	04-Aug-80	L
D'Avolio, COL Gerald	20-Sep-76	L
DeAcetis, COL Eugene A.	15-Sep-75	L
Dellorfanio, LT Frank J.	11-Sep-61	L
DeMatteo, SGT Martin J.	24-May-76	L
DeMatteo, P.C. LTC M. Joseph	24-May-76	L
DePasquale, LT Philip H.	19-Apr-77	L
Dhionis, BG George C.	09-Feb-81	L
DiLibero, Nicola R.	02-May-83	L
Dolan, LTC James B.	04-Aug-80	L

Donadio, SGT Peter S.	03-May-82	L
Dow, SGT Charles E.	08-Feb-65	L
Downing, COL Delbert F.	22-Sep-75	L
Dragone, MAJ Joseph F.	09-Feb-76	L
Duane, Jr., SGT Herbert T.	15-May-61	L
Duffy, LT George P.	25-Sep-67	L
Duffy, SGT Francis X.	28-Sep-70	L
Emens, CPT Robert F.	24-Sep-62	L
Emerson, Michael W. C.	04-May-76	L
Engel, LT Frank W.	03-Sep-85	L
Faro, MAJ Joseph	01-May-67	L
Fiorenza, P.C. BG Albert G.	12-Jun-72	L
Fitzgerald, LTC James E.	20-Jun-77	L
Forman, BG Charles P.	11-Feb-85	L
Fox, James E.	24-Sep-73	L
Gallagher, MAJ Owen	19-Apr-77	L
Gallagher, Stephen P.	19-Apr-77	L
Garvin, MAJ Brendan R.	05-May-80	L
Gaunt, William J.	27-Jan-75	L
Gauron, LT Paul R.	05-Apr-76	L
George, LT Robert P.	27-Sep-82	L
Gettings, SGT Lawrence G.	12-Feb-79	L
Gibbons, LT James M.	12-May-86	L
Goodfellow, LT Thomas J.	10-Feb-75	L
Gormley III, COL William J.	12-Jun-72	L
Greene, Jr., SGT Donald S.	08-Jun-70	L
Hagan, CPT Thomas J.	10-Feb-75	L
Hall, LT Robert A.	08-Sep-81	L
Hannon, SGT Thomas J.	13-Jun-83	L
Harrington, MAJ Albert F.	26-Feb-63	L
Hayes, LT James J.	03-Sep-85	L
Heck, LT William H.	09-Jun-75	L
Henry, LT Martin A.	29-Oct-74	L
Higgins, COL John J.	28-Sep-70	L
Hoar, LTC Charles J.	12-Sep-83	L
Holden, CPT Charles A.	28-May-85	L
Howard, LTC John L.	09-Mar-68	L
Howard, LT Joseph W.	06-May-68	L
Jaffe, Robert M.	17-Sep-79	L

Johnson, COL J. Albert	27-Apr-64	L
Jones, LT James C.	04-Mar-78	L
Jordan, LTC Robert J.	10-Feb-75	L
Kane, LT Ralph E.	03-Sep-68	L
Kebadjian, Bernard	01-Aug-84	L
Kelley, LT Eugene P.	10-Sep-73	L
Kelley, ENS Frederick M.	04-Apr-77	L
Kelly, MSG Gerard F.	08-Sep-75	L
Kelly, MAJ Daniel F.	05-May-86	L
King, LT Myles B.	11-Sep-80	L
Knouse, CPT Paul G.	14-Jun-76	L
Koughan, CPT Francis M.	11-Jun-79	L
LaBollita, BG Francis A.	08-Sep-70	L
Lennon, COL James F.	14-Jun-71	L
Lesniewski-Laas, Marek	13-Sep-82	L
Levaggi, Ronald A.	29-Oct-74	L
Littleton, COL James R.	16-May-83	L
LoConte, LTC Paul A.	06-Apr-81	L
Luccio, P.C. BG Richard A.	05-Sep-72	L
Lynch III, LT James A.	24-May-82	L
Lynch, Jr., P.C. MG James A.	16-May-55	L
Lyons, CPT John J.	11-Feb-80	L
Macauda, LT Joseph N.	13-Jun-83	L
MacDonald, COL Robert B.	06-Aug-79	L
MacQuarrie, SGT J. Donald	08-Jun-70	L
Maguire, Jr., LTC Frederick J.	24-Sep-80	L
Marr, P.C. BG Robert L.	02-Apr-62	L
Martin, John B.	20-Apr-65	L
Martin, CPT William C.	11-Feb-80	L
Martin, LT Charles J.	22-Sep-80	L
Massaro, LT Frederick M.	19-Apr-77	L
McCabe, COL Edward D.	19-Sep-77	L
McCarthy, Terrance J.	02-May-77	L
McCarthy, LT Gerard C.	14-May-79	L
McElman, SGT Ronald G.	04-May-81	L
McGarrah, SGT Frederick W.	28-Sep-70	L
McGonigle, SGT Paul	25-Sep-67	L
McIntyre, Michael T.	09-Feb-76	L
McNally, SGT Michael	05-Sep-78	L

Meagher, SGT David J.	10-Sep-73	L
Messina, COL Robert J.	06-Apr-81	L
Migell, SGT Bruce A.	24-Sep-84	L
Mignosa, LT Paul R.	16-Apr-85	L
Milano, P.C. BG Joseph A.	08-Sep-75	L
Mirabito, LTC Robert S.	08-Sep-69	L
Montuori, SGT Kenneth M.	07-Apr-86	L
Moore, P.C. COL John Arthur	05-May-80	L
Morrison, CPT George M.	06-Aug-84	L
Morrissey, SGT Joseph T.	14-Feb-72	L
Moynihan, LT John F.	18-Sep-83	L
Mullen, LT G. Burton	19-Sep-77	L
Mundo, CPT Albert J.	14-Sep-81	L
Murphy, P.C. CPT Robert D.	14-Sep-64	L
Nastopoulos, CPL Christos	29-Oct-85	L
Neri, Geno	05-Sep-67	L
Noterman, LT Arthur F.	27-Sep-82	L
O'Brien, Sr., COL William J.	17-May-82	L
O'Connor, SGT James F.	11-Sep-72	L
O'Leary, Jr. SGT Dennis P.	12-Aug-68	L
Paderson, LT John G.	03-Sep-85	L
Pantalone, Jr. COL Edmund J.	09-Feb-76	L
Park, SSG Barry A.	03-Apr-78	L
Pelosi, CDR Richard P.	04-Apr-83	L
Pereira, Jr. MAJ Fred E.	17-Apr-61	L
Petrulis, LTC Albert A.	03-Apr-78	L
Polcari, LTC John P.	25-Apr-66	L
Pollock, LT Brian R.	28-May-85	L
Pottle, LT Bradford	12-Jun-78	L
Rainsford, III MAJ Edmund J.	04-Aug-80	L
Raucci, CPO John W.	28-Sep-70	L
Regazzini, LT Robert G.	14-Sep-70	L
Reiss, CPT Martin H.	11-Feb-80	L
Rodman, Donald E.	09-Jun-75	L
Russo, COL George S.	05-May-86	L
Sacco, P.C. COL Leonard J.	11-Jun-79	L
Salvidio, COL Michael A.	18-Apr-78	L
Savickey, MAJ Richard E.	17-Sep-84	L
Scotti, Michael R.	14-Jun-76	L

Senopoulos, LTC Peter W.	11-Feb-80	L
Seymourian, COL Gregory H.	07-Apr-86	L
Shea, LT Robert E.	21-Sep-70	L
Sheehan, Jr., CPT John J.	11-Sep-78	L
Sheridan, COL Bob	23-May-83	L
Sheridan, Jr., COL James L.	22-Sep-69	L
Sidoti, Jon C.	28-May-85	L
Silva, LT Richard A.	18-Apr-60	L
Solimando, Jr., Michael	05-Apr-76	L
Spellman, LT Francis R.	09-Jul-65	L
Sterge, SGT John C.	24-Sep-73	L
Stevens, David P.	29-Oct-85	L
Sullivan, SGT Joseph W.	20-Sep-70	L
Sullivan, SGT Kevin J.	14-Jun-76	L
Sweeney, LT Jerome V.	12-Sep-83	L
Tamulis, LT Joseph A.	11-Feb-85	L
Taskey, Jr., LT Russell E.	17-May-82	L
Tate, SGT Edward H.	06-May-68	L
Tauber, P.C. COL Stuart P.	24-Sep-84	L
Traina, LT Carl L.	13-Sep-76	L
Trayers, Jr., COL James L.	02-Aug-82	L
Tregoning, COL William L.	03-Sep-68	L
Uglietto, LT Dominic J.	21-Sep-81	L
Verrochi, LTC Michael J.	22-May-67	L
Walsh, COL Milton C.	17-Sep-56	L
Wiley, Gregory G.	11-Feb-85	L
Zecco, COL Patrick V.	11-Jun-84	L

NON-RESIDENT MEMBERS

Ahearn, Frederick L.	13-Jun-83	N
Bonnano, Charles D.	14-Feb-77	N
DeTeso, COL Dante E	22-Apr-86	N
Downing MAJ Delbert G.	28-Jun-99	N
Hamilton, John M.	21-Apr-92	N
Lalumiere, Daniel R.	27-Oct-97	N
Roche, SGT Thomas	21-Apr-92	N
Romeo, MAJ Donald	18-Sep-89	N
Rooney, COL James W.	05-May-80	N

Shaw, Jr., SMJ Frederick L.	07-Sep-71	N
Spagnuolo, Jr., Louis D.	06-May-85	N
Wynne, Esq., LT Donald J.	20-Oct-85	N

REGULAR MEMBERS

Agnitti, Anthony L.	27-Oct-97	R
Albrecht, George T.	09-Feb-98	R
Allen, CPT Arthur G.	15-Sep-97	R
Antell, LT Peter	21-Apr-98	R
Arcidi, LT Alfred L.	31-May-88	R
Balfour, Jr., SGT David B.	19-Sep-94	R
Banis, Jr., SSG E. Steve	08-Sep-00	R
Bartlett LT Russell A.	17-Apr-90	R
Bean, Joseph A.	08-Jun-98	R
Begin, CPT Arthur J.	14-Feb-00	R
Bejoian, James C.	05-May-97	R
Bejoian, Sr., LTC James	27-Apr-87	R
Bennett, Jr., COL Gordon	11-Feb-02	R
Benoit, P.C. CPT Joseph C.	16-May-88	R
Biskup, LT Michael S.	06-Sep-94	R
Boudreau, SGT John P.	06-Apr-98	R
Brady, Jr., CPT Robert J.	27-Apr-87	R
Briggs, COL Arnold B.	27-Oct-97	R
Brown, PFC Ralph	03-Apr-00	R
Bruno, Jr., SGM George P.	06-Apr-98	R
Bryant, Robert F.	29-Oct-01	R
Buckley, LT Gerald J.	10-Feb-92	R
Buckley III, LT Thomas J.	02-May-94	R
Buckley, Jr., MAJ William R.	21-Apr-98	R
Bullock, SGT Kevin A.	20-May-93	R
Burns, CPT Edward M.	27-Jul-87	R
Buscemi, SGT Gerard R.	01-May-95	R
Canniff, Jr., LTC Edward T.	04-Apr-88	R
Carlson, BG John W.	02-May-94	R
Carroll, LT George F.	13-Feb-89	R
Carroll, LT Paul B.	0-Apr-99	R
Carter, COL Joseph C.	07-Sep-93	R
Caruso, 1SG Frank R.	20-Apr-93	R

Cataldo, LT Robert D.	19-Sep-95	R
Cauldwell, SGT Gary S.	04-May-98	R
Cedrone, LT Lewis P.	05-Sep-00	R
Chase, Jr., 1SGT Roy S.	02-May-94	R
Cherone, Jr., CPT Sam G.	14-Jan-02	R
Clair, Jr., CPT James E.	31-May-88	R
Clancy, James E.	01-Feb-01	R
Clements, LT James P.	05-Apr-99	R
Clevenger, CDR Redmond L.	20-Apr-99	R
Clingan, Eldon R	14-Jan-02	R
Colella, LT Paul M.	11-May-93	R
Conrad, LT Arthur F.	09-Feb-98	R
Consolmagno, LTC Donald L.	27-Apr-87	R
Consolmagno, Stephen J.	02-Sep-97	R
Cook, SGT Daniel F.	01-May-01	R
Coppola, Michael J.	14-Jan-02	R
Corsetti II, SGT Richard D.	27-Oct-98	R
Costa, Peter M.	07-May-01	R
Costa, Jr., STG2 Charles	06-Sep-94	R
Coury, MAJ Philip F.	08-Sep-87	R
Creed, LT Michael E.	01-Feb-01	R
Crocker, SGT Michael	02-Sep-86	R
Cross, LT David L.	18-Sep-95	R
Curran, LT Robert E.	27-Apr-87	R
Curran, COL Robert H.	22-Apr-97	R
DaCorta, LT Stephen A.	09-Feb-98	R
D'Auria, Michael	28-Jun-99	R
Davidson, SGT Gerald S.	09-Feb-98	R
Davis, Royal T.	17-Apr-02	R
Deegan, LT Charles J.	04-May-92	R
Delaney, Kevin W.	07-Sep-99	R
DeLuca, LT Vincent N.	20-Apr-93	R
DeMatteo, Jr., Martin E.	09-May-94	R
DeSalvo LT Anthony	25-Oct-93	R
Dever, Jerry S.	13-Jan-97	R
DiBenedetto, COL Franco	06-Apr-92	R
DiMascio, CPL Peter	14-May-01	R
Doherty, SGT Bernard J.	05-Sep-00	R
Donadio, SGT Anthony P.	13-Feb-89	R

Dorant, SGT David F.	09-Feb-98	R
Dorn, LT Gregory F.	11-Sep-95	R
Dorn, LT Michael P.	11-Sep-95	R
Downing, MAJ Michael W.	27-Jul-87	R
Downing, Brian F.	28-Jun-99	R
Drago, SSG James D.	02-May-94	R
Duddy, Roy A.	04-May-99	R
Dudley, SGT Stuart A.	11-Feb-02	R
Duffy, LT Christopher F.	21-Apr-92	R
Duffy, SSG John P.	02-Aug-99	R
Dunn, LT Martin J.	16-May-89	R
Dwan, MAJ Robert A.	06-May-02	R
Efstathiou, SGT S. Andrew	04-Apr-94	R
Finer, MAJ Michael S.	16-Sep-96	R
Finneran, Kevin J.	09-Sep-96	R
Fiorenza, LT Paul J.	20-Apr-99	R
Fish, CPT Michael A.	03-Apr-95	R
Fish, G. Franklin	03-Apr-00	R
Flynn, LTC Eugene P.	01-May-95	R
Foley, PVT Lawrence H.	13-Feb-89	R
Forger, SSG John A.	06-May-02	R
Franchi, SMS John A.	03-Apr-02	R
Franco, LT John M.	12-Jun-89	R
Frazier, LTC Robert A.	09-May-94	R
Fridmann, MAJ Gerard	03-Apr-00	R
Furey III, SGT Thomas J.	16-Apr-96	R
Gallo, CPT David J.	21-Sep-92	R
Gazzola, Jr., SGT Joseph J.	16-Apr-91	R
Gemellaro, SGT Anthony W.	16-May-88	R
Gillen, CDR Robert L.	13-Mar-89	R
Gillespie, SGT John F.	03-Apr-95	R
Gillis, Thomas P.	04-May-92	R
Godes, LT Michael	20-Sep-93	R
Goonan, COL Thomas A.	21-Sep-92	R
Grasso, Anthony	09-Feb-98	R
Greenwood, COL James A.	02-May-94	R
Grenier, SGT John J.	20-Apr-93	R
Griffin III, LTC Thomas J.	20-Apr-93	R
Grimes, Jr., CSM George F.	13-Sep-99	R

Gundersen, SGT Robert S.	29-Oct-01	R
Hall, SGT Eric J.	21-Apr-98	R
Hall, SGT William J.	21-Apr-98	R
Hall, Jr., SFC Robert D.	06-Apr-92	R
Harrington, S1C Paul	06-Sep-94	R
Harris, Jr., MAJ Edward M	14-Jan-02	R
Harvey, Douglas	07-May-01	R
Hatton, COL Richard D.	18-Apr-89	R
Hayes, COL Gerard J.	13-Mar-89	R
Hayward, Steven L.	06-Sep-94	R
Henry, SGT Brett P.	17-Apr-01	R
Hillery, SGT Thomas H.	20-Apr-99	R
Hoar, MAJ Robert J.	14-Feb-00	R
Hogan, SFC Laurence D.	05-Apr-99	R
Holleran, Timothy J.	06-May-02	R
Horan, William T.	11-Feb-02	R
Horner, MSG John H.	03-Apr-00	R
Hozid, S1C Joseph L.	11-Feb-02	R
Hudner, Jr., CMH CAPT Thomas J.	17-Apr-90	R
Hurley, BG William B.	22-May-95	R
Hyte, LT Barton K.	21-Sep-92	R
Itri, LTC Ronald J.	09-Aug-88	R
Jarrett, 1LT Leroy F.	08-Feb-99	R
Johnston, Daniel B.	12-Jun-89	R
Kane, LT Jeffrey A.	09-Feb-98	R
Keenan, CPT James W.	06-May-91	R
Keith, PFC John W.	11-May-98	R
Kelley, CPT Martin E.	14-Sep-87	R
Kelley, Paul M.	30-Oct-00	R
Kelly, Richard J.	05-May-97	R
Kelsch, MSG Stephen G.	14-Feb-00	R
Kemp, LT Frank M.	14-Feb-00	R
Kidder, PO2 Roscoe N.	08-Jun-98	R
Kiley, LT William P.	04-May-92	R
Kingsley, SGT Scott A.	14-Feb-00	R
Kondratiuk, COL Leonid E.	14-Feb-00	R
Krippendorf, SGT Peter S.	20-Sep-99	R
Ladd, LT David L	01-Apr-99	R
Lavin, LT John T.	06-Apr-87	R

Lazo, CPT Michael L.	14-Jan-02	R
LeBlanc, LT Leon J.	08-Sep-97	R
Ledoux, LT Ronald B.	19-Sep-95	R
Lennon, LTC Paul E.	17-Sep-90	R
Leone, Ronald E.	09-Jan-89	R
Lieberman, COL Alvin I.	02-Sep-97	R
Limoges, LT Norman G.	10-Feb-92	R
Litchfield, LT Gary J.	18-Apr-89	R
Long, SGT Robert J.	05-Apr-99	R
Lorusso, Jr., LT Antonio J.	22-Apr-97	R
Lou, SGT Peter L.	11-Feb-02	R
Lovely, LT Raymond E.	06-Apr-87	R
Lucas, CSM Robert A.	18-Apr-95	R
Luke, Kenneth W.	08-May-95	R
MacCollum, MG Arnold R.	06-Sep-94	R
MacDonald, SGT Douglas	27-Oct-98	R
MacPhaidin, CSC LT Bartley	11-Sep-90	R
Maddocks, Jr., BG Emery A.	10-Feb-92	R
Magaletta, LT Francis J.	08-Jun-98	R
Magner, LT Brian J.	11-Sep-89	R
Maguire, LT Thomas W.	19-Apr-88	R
Mahoney, SGT Brian F.	06-Sep-94	R
Mahoney, P.C. CPT Paul J.	09-Feb-87	R
Marcotti, COL Arthur D.	11-Sep-00	R
Mariano, LT John G.	06-Apr-87	R
Marini, John S.	26-May-98	R
Marks, LT Peter W.	03-Apr-89	R
Massa, ISG Ronald A.	10-Sep-91	R
Mattie, SGT Robert E.	20-Apr-93	R
May, LT Daniel G.	19-Sep-88	R
Mays, Larry	29-Oct-01	R
McCauley, LT John F.	11-Feb-91	R
McGinley, CPO Robert K.	09-Jan-89	R
McGuire, MAJ Robert M.	21-Sep-92	R
McLaughlin, Robert H.	06-Sep-94	R
McMurtry, SGT Paul	14-Feb-00	R
McNamee, SGT Joseph	05-Apr-99	R
McNulty, LT Marc A.	17-Apr-90	R
Meara, William R.	11-Feb-02	R

Megnia, SGT Michael A.	20-Apr-93	R
Mercadante, CPT Kevin L.	07-Apr-97	R
Mignosa, LT William P.	22-Apr-87	R
Mignosa, SGT George R.	09-Jan-89	R
Mirabito, Paul J.	07-Apr-97	R
Mitchell, John S.	29-Oct-01	R
Modestino, BG Paul T.	06-May-91	R
Modesto, Anthony J.	04-May-98	R
Monahan, Jr., LT Charles F.	14-Sep-87	R
Montuori, Joseph R.	17-Apr-90	R
Mooradian, Jr., Andrew P.	02-Sep-97	R
Morrill, LT Jeffrey P.	11-May-98	R
Morrill, LT Paul E.	01-May-95	R
Morrill, Jr., LT Paul E.	14-May-01	R
Motzkin, SGT Joseph E.	03-Aug-98	R
Motzkin, James R.	18-Apr-00	R
Mugford, COL Peter F.	21-Sep-92	R
Mullen, LT Thomas W.	11-Jun-86	R
Mullin, BG John	29-Oct-01	R
Murphy, LT Philip E.	13-Mar-89	R
Murphy, Daniel D.	14-May-01	R
Murray, LT Robert W.	19-Sep-88	R
Myllmaki, Jr LT Edward E.	06-May-91	R
Nader, Sr., LT Paul E.	22-Apr-97	R
Nally, SGT James J.	14-Jan-02	R
Naser, LT Robert E.	08-Sep-97	R
Nessralla, Jr., LT Philip C.	01-Apr-91	R
Noterman, Ryan C.	11-Jun-01	R
O'Brien, CPO William E.	03-May-93	R
O'Brien, COL David F.	22-Apr-97	R
O'Brien, LT Dennis C.	14-Feb-00	R
O'Brien, Jr., MAJ William J.	23-Sep-91	R
O'Connell, Peter F.	16-Mar-90	R
O'Connor, John T.	05-Apr-99	R
O'Leary, COL John A.	27-Apr-87	R
O'Leary, LT Cornelius J.	22-May-95	R
O'Leary, CPL Fredrick M.	29-Oct-01	R
Oliveira, CPT Joseph F.	16-Jun-96	R
O'Malley, ROD SGT Brian W.	08-Feb-99	R

Opanasets, COL Walter G	14-Jan-02	R
O'Rourke, Francis J.	01-Feb-01	R
Ortmeier, SGT Lothar	16-Apr-91	R
O'Shea, COL Timothy C.	22-Apr-97	R
Oteri, SGT Charles F.	21-Sep-92	R
Pacella, SGT Eugene M.	09-May-94	R
Palermino, Joseph H.	20-May-93	R
Palumbo, CPT Gerald A.	29-Oct-01	R
Panichas, Anthony T.	07-May-01	R
Parrella, LT Angelo	23-Sep-91	R
Parrillo, LT Richard	18-Sep-89	R
Pasciuto, LT Frank	05-Mar-93	R
Peatridge, LT Christopher	02-Aug-99	R
Pelletier, 2LT William E.	14-Jan-02	R
Penn, PVT Howard K.	12-Apr-93	R
Penna, Robert C.	09-Feb-98	R
Perenick, MG Charles H.	23-Sep-91	R
Pesaturo, SGT George J.	20-Sep-99	R
Pessin, COL Robert H.	09-Oct-90	R
Phillips, MAJ Donald F.	06-Apr-87	R
Piacentini, LT Eugene	03-Apr-89	R
Pilibosian, COL Jacob	28-Sep-87	R
Pinault, MAJ Rene J.	06-Apr-87	R
Podgurski, SGT Christopher	06-May-02	R
Presutti, David A.	04-Apr-88	R
Previte, SGT Domenic	29-Oct-01	R
Puliafico, SGT George A.	14-Sep-98	R
Quenneville, BG Donald	11-Jun-01	R
Quinci, SGT John B.	11-May-98	R
Raabe, COL William J.	01-May-00	R
Racicot, LT Ronald	07-May-90	R
Raffoni, COL Charles A.	21-Sep-92	R
Rauworth, CAPT Michael J.	09-Feb-98	R
Ray, SGT Richard E.	04-May-98	R
Renaghan, COL Peter W.	27-Oct-98	R
Reynolds, Jr., SGM George D.	14-Jan-02	R
Richter, COL Thomas E.	18-Sep-89	R
Riggs, LT John E.	09-Feb-98	R
Rioux, 1SG Nicholas A.	05-May-97	R

Rizzo III, CPL Nicholas A.	18-Apr-00	R
Rocco, CPT John J.	20-Sep-93	R
Romano, Jr., CPL Joseph J.	07-May-90	R
Romero, MD LT Hernando	18-Sep-89	R
Ronder, SGT Richard W.	01-Feb-01	R
Ross, MAJ Edward J.	09-Feb-87	R
Ruping, Gary H.	04-May-98	R
Rupp, CPT Thomas J.	08-May-95	R
Ryan, LT Lawrence T.	09-Feb-87	R
Saliba, CPL David J.	10-Jun-02	R
Saluti, COL Dean J.	13-Feb-89	R
Santarelli, CPT Joseph P.	10-Sep-90	R
Saulnier, SGT James W.	08-Jun-92	R
Schiarizzi, SSG Nicholas	11-Feb-02	R
Schneider, CPT Ilya A.	11-Jun-01	R
Schofield, SP3 Herbert D.	14-Jan-02	R
Sciarratta, CPT Angelo C.	27-Jul-87	R
Scott, SSG William H.	16-May-88	R
Shalna, Anthony J.	09-Feb-98	R
Shannon, Joseph T.	06-Aug-01	R
Sheehan, Sr. CPT Robert D.	21-Apr-98	R
Sherman, COL John R.	27-Apr-89	R
Sickorez, SGT James R.	11-Jun-01	R
Sillari, Jr., Charles J.	10-Jun-02	R
Silva, Jr., MSG Frank J.	29-Oct-01	R
Smith, SP5 Richard J.	14-Jan-02	R
Snow, SGT John C.	08-May-95	R
Spadafora, S2C Anthony W.	16-May-88	R
Stafford, Jr., SSG Stephen E.	06-Aug-01	R
Steiner, COL John W.	01-May-00	R
Stoltenberg, COL Kristian J.	14-Jan-02	R
Stoney, Jr., CPT H. Stanley	13-Sep-93	R
Sugden III, MAJ James W.	28-Sep-87	R
Sullivan, Jr., COL John J.	05-Sep-00	R
Sutherland, SGT David	11-Sep-00	R
Sylvester LT Donald R.	03-Apr-95	R
Szarek, Ronald R.	09-Feb-87	R
Tangusso, SGT John S.	18-Sep-89	R
Taylor, 1SG C. Robert	08-May-95	R

Tedeschi, COL Richard R.	13-Feb-89	R
Tierney, Jr., 1SG Paul R.	06-Apr-92	R
Tisei, HON Richard	21-Sep-87	R
Torpey, Jr., LTC John F.	11-Jun-01	R
Tresca, John M.	08-Sep-87	R
Tribuna, SGT Mark C.	11-Sep-00	R
Tringali, LT Robert S.	07-Apr-97	R
Truscello, MAJ Louis R.	18-Apr-95	R
Veneziano, SGT James M.	16-Apr-91	R
Verrochi III LT Michael J.	11-Sep-89	R
Vozzella, LT Henry R.	04-Apr-88	R
Wahn, LT George H.	06-Apr-87	R
Walker, BG Daniel J.	09-Feb-98	R
Walker, George TJ	06-May-02	R
Ward, 1SG Brian	03-Apr-00	R
Warren, LTC Bruce W.	05-Sep-00	R
Watson, SGT Winston	14-Jan-02	R
Welch, MAJ John F.	16-May-88	R
Welch, Jr., COL Robert E.	16-May-88	R
Weydt, SGT James W.	14-May-01	R
Wiegel, COL James A.	21-Apr-98	R
Will, SGT Francis A.	11-May-98	R
Willwerth III, COL Lawrence A.	15-Sep-97	R
Wisniewski, CPT Kenneth P.	02-Apr-01	R
Wold, Jr., SP4 Carl A.	10-Sep-91	R
Wolfe, COL Leonard W.	14-Jan-02	R
Wood, Jonathan T.	18-Apr-00	R
Wood, Sr., PVT Robert J.	18-Apr-00	R
Woodhouse, II LTC Enoch O'D.	19-Apr-88	R
Wujciak, MAJ Steven E.	06-Apr-98	R
Zarba, LT Franklin A.	09-Feb-98	R
Zecco, LT Patrick A.	08-Jun-92	R
Zeman, LTC Michael J.	02-Jun-88	R

Allen, CDR Max J.	19-Oct-59	S
Allen, Jr., MAJ Frank G.	15-Sep-58	S
Amicone, CPT Joseph A.	14-Sep-70	S
Anzuoni, LT George S.	19-Oct-59	S
Anzuoni, LT Lawrence A.	11-Sep-61	S

Aprile, COL Anthony J.	20-Apr-71	S
Atamian, LTC Elias	12-Aug-68	S
Bafaro, Alfred C.	20-Apr-76	S
Bagley, COL Ralph R.	23-Feb-53	S
Barner, George B.	17-Sep-56	S
Bauer, BG Frank J.	21-Sep-59	S
Bel, Sr., LT James V.	17-Oct-60	S
Bittelari, BG Thomas J.	03-Apr-78	S
Blasi, CPT Arthur	22-May-61	S
Bolton, SGT Warren R.	27-Aug-69	S
Bourdon, Jr., COL Leo E.	27-Apr-64	S
Boyatis, LTC Nicholas H.	09-Jun-75	S
Brillante, LT Louis P.	12-May-52	S
Brown, Ellis F.	08-Sep-70	S
Brunaccini, John J.	10-Feb-64	S
Buczko, COL Thaddeus	09-Feb-76	S
Buonopane, SFC Anthony L.	22-Apr-80	S
Cacciatore, SGT Philip F.	22-May-61	S
Cacciola, David P.	07-Sep-71	S
Calogero, LT James	07-May-72	S
Cappiello, LT Michael R.	16-Sep-57	S
Cavaretta, LT Alfred S.	19-May-58	S
Chilli, LT Joseph	11-Jun-84	S
Civitarese, COL Richard J.	08-Sep-80	S
Coleman, LT John J.	12-Sep-77	S
Collatos, COL George N.	13-Sep-76	S
Crittenden, LT James E.	06-May-63	S
Crowley, COL William H.	10-Feb-75	S
Curley, Jr., SGT Thomas H.	20-Apr-54	S
Danner, LT Robert F.	31-May-56	S
Day, Robert F.	22-May-61	S
DeBenedictis, MAJ Daniel J.	21-Sep-70	S
Denly, Jr., COL Anthony P.	30-Apr-51	S
Destafano, Jr., LT Domenic	26-May-58	S
DiCarlo, BG Mario	01-May-61	S
Dietrich, LT H. Curtiss	16-May-66	S
Dorn, LT Francis B.	20-May-57	S
Dressler, BG Donald P.	12-Jun-78	S
Driscoll, P.C. CPT J. Barry	07-May-62	S

Drummey, LTC John D.	22-Sep-52	S
Duff, BG James L.	06-May-68	S
Durkee, BG Robert M.	19-Apr-83	S
Ferrino, LT Peter J.	22-Sep-58	S
Flood, Charles T.	24-May-65	S
Folan, Thomas P.	19-May-58	S
Foley, Jr., CPT George F.	12-Jun-67	S
Gazzola, COL Joseph J.	02-Apr-62	S
Giroux, Eugene X.	01-May-67	S
Graunas, P.C. BG Reynold P.	12-Jun-72	S
Griswold, LT Henry J.	26-Sep-66	S
Hajian, Peter	20-Apr-54	S
Healey, LTC Martin J.	24-May-65	S
Hegarty, LTG Joseph P.	07-May-62	S
Hurley, LT Joseph C.	22-Apr-69	S
Huston, BG Donald L.	29-Oct-74	S
Johnsen, LT Robert U.	23-May-66	S
Johnson, LT Gerald E.	01-Apr-68	S
Jordan, BG Richard P.	12-Sep-77	S
Kane, BG John F.	14-Sep-64	S
Keelan, P.C. CPT Edward J.	17-Apr-50	S
Keihn, LT Leroy	14-Feb-77	S
Keohane, John J.	03-May-54	S
Koughan, P.C. BG William P.	04-May-59	S
Langley, MG Edward J.	06-Sep-77	S
Lannan, Jr., LCR Joseph G.	01-Apr-63	S
LaRoche, COL Wilfred A.	07-Sep-76	S
LaRusso, LT Anthony	02-Aug-65	S
Lazo, CAPT Leo M.	19-Apr-77	S
Leary, COL Ronald F.	11-Jun-84	S
Leonard, LT Walter G.	01-May-67	S
Lewis, CPT Stanley M.	12-Sep-84	S
Lord, SGT Gardner H.	25-Sep-72	S
Loughman II, P.C. BG Joseph S.	03-May-54	S
Lydon, LT James M.	04-Apr-77	S
Lydon, LTC Edward J.	02-May-77	S
MacDonald, CAPT Geoffrey G.	12-Feb-79	S
Madden, LT Donald J.	08-Sep-69	S
Mallahan, CDR Joseph J.	11-Sep-61	S

Martin, LTC Emlen L.	09-Jun-75	S
Mason, LTC Donald W.	20-Apr-76	S
McGrimley, COL Thomas J.	27-Jan-75	S
McGuirk, MAJ Justin V.	26-Apr-57	S
McNutt, COL G. William	29-Sep-58	S
Meehl, SSG William E.	24-May-82	S
Mignosa, LTC Cosmo J.	20-Sep-76	S
Miles, Jr., Esq. LTJG Frankland L	18-Sep-61	S
Misci, LT Mario	25-May-64	S
Moore, LT George P.	16-Sep-68	S
Moran, LTC Francis X.	05-Sep-72	S
Morrill, LT Frederick L.	07-May-56	S
Mullen, LT Paul E.	09-Jun-58	S
Murphy, BG Robert M.	10-Sep-73	S
Murphy, COL George E.	02-Apr-84	S
Newton, Jr. BG Francis C.	17-Aug-70	S
O'Connell, LTC Lenahan	03-May-48	S
Pacella, COL John A.	05-Apr-65	S
Pacella, CPT Anthony J.	08-Jun-70	S
Paoletta, Rocco	02-May-77	S
Pearl, LT Russell P.	15-May-55	S
Penta, COL Ernest	05-May-86	S
Pisano, John A.	10-Jun-63	S
Publicover, CDR Francis G.	03-May-48	S
Rainsford, CAPT Edmund J.	22-Apr-80	S
Ray, P.C. COL Sylvester A.	23-Aug-71	S
Regazzini, SGT Leo	18-May-59	S
Reid, LT Frank W.	17-Sep-51	S
Reid, Calvin J.	07-Sep-76	S
Ricci, LT Rudolph V.	08-Sep-75	S
Ricciardi, LTC Jack P.	01-Apr-63	S
Roberts, COL Marvin	13-Sep-71	S
Sabbagh, LT Michael J.	03-Apr-78	S
Sacco, LT Victor A.	05-Sep-78	S
Sarni, COL Ralph	30-Apr-51	S
Sarni, LT Mario J.	08-Sep-70	S
Sarni, Jr. CPL James L.	19-Oct-84	S
Schirmer, LT William F.	12-Feb-62	S
Shea, COL John J.	18-Sep-67	S

Sherman, LT David	11-Jun-45	S
Silverman, COL Henry H.	24-May-82	S
Simoni, Andrew E.	19-Apr-77	S
Siracusa, Nino	02-Dec-62	S
Sneider, COL Joseph G.	01-Apr-74	S
Starrett, SGT Peter M.	05-Sep-72	S
Stramondo, LTC Salvatore F.	16-Apr-85	S
Struzziero, LCR Alexander	14-Feb-72	S
Tangusso, LTC Joseph S.	06-May-85	S
Thomas, LCR Edwin M.	12-Jun-72	S
Thompson, Jr. MG Arthur W.	15-Aug-77	S
Torlone, SGT H. Michael	21-Apr-52	S
Tsaganis ,LT Christos G.	13-Sep-76	S
Uglietto, CPT Dominic R.	23-Aug-71	S
Velardo, Charles F.	10-Feb-64	S
Verrochi, LTC Joseph N.	22-May-67	S
Walsh, LT Joseph J.	26-Sep-66	S
Yurkstas, CPT A. Albert	02-Sep-58	S
Zullo, COL Edward A.	13-May-63	S

Applicants 2002 - 2003

Name	Track#	Receive	Membership	Interview	Elected	Sponsor
CAPT William H. Kelley	ST1	6-May	30-May	5-Aug	3-Sep	Mundo
LTC Arthur O'Malley	ST2	6-May	30-May	16-Sep	28-Oct	LaBollita
Theodore "ted" A. Sarandis	ST3	5-Aug	7-Aug	16-Sep	28-Oct	Tauber, CC
Keith Muntyn	ST4	11-Jul	14-Jul	3-Sep	16-Sep	Lorusso
SFC Kevin P. Forbes	ST5	25-Jun	28-Jun	3-Sep	16-Sep	LaBollita
Eugene D. Lussier	ST6	25-Jun	28-Jun	23-Sep	28-Oct	Graunas, PC
Paul D. McDonough	ST7	26-Aug	2-Sep	13-Jan	10-Feb	Sciarratta
Ronald S Falite	ST8	27-Apr	8-May	5-Aug	3-Sep	V DeLuca
Raymond S Falite	ST9	27-Apr	8-May	5-Aug	3-Sep	V DeLuca
COL Bernard A. Flynn, Jr.	ST11	3-Apr	3-Apr	16-Sep	28-Oct	C Duffy
Christian Howard	ST12	11-Apr	3-May	5-Aug	3-Sep	J Howard
Erik Mattson	ST13	16-Apr	19-Apr	22-Apr	5-May	D. Madden
LTC Anthony M. Pasqualone	ST14	29-Mar-02	29-Mar-02	13-Jan	10-Feb	L Hogan
MG Raymond A. Vezina	ST15	2-Apr-00	4-Feb-01	1-Apr	5-Aug-02	R Durkee
Charles McDonald	ST16	5-Aug	19-Aug	28-Oct	13-Jan	B Doherty
Raymond Loughlin	ST17					N Limoges
COL Arthur Jewett	ST18	24-Jul	29-Jul	16-Sep	28-Oct	F LaBollita
Paul M. Lawton	ST19	5-Aug	6-Aug	16-Sep	28-Oct	J Nally
Michael Horan	ST20	24-Aug	30-Jan	7-Apr	22-Apr	P Carr
Gerald M. Cohen	ST21	29-Aug	3-Sep	23-Sep	28-Oct	B Doherty
Donald Schiarizzi	ST22	25-Mar	25-Mar	23-Sep	28-Oct	B. Mahoney
Eric C. Sigillo	ST23	3-Sep	5-Sep	2-Dec	13-Jan	R. McGuire
BG Gary A. Pappas	ST24	12-Sep	13-Sep	2-Dec	13-Jan	R. Welch
Barry F. Collins, Jr.	ST25	4-Aug	15-Sep	28-Oct	13-Jan	R. Hatton
CPT Robert W. O'Connell	ST26	10-Sep	15-Sep	9-Jun		J. Welch
Robert D. Engel	ST27	10-Sep	21-Nov	2-Dec	13-Jan	F. Engel
Craig A. Spadafora	ST28	10-Sep	21-Nov	13-Jan	10-Feb	R. Tringali
Brian S. Keenan	ST29					K. Landolphi
Frederick C. Pucillo	ST30	28-Oct	16-Nov	2-Dec	13-Jan	D. Previte
BG Rudi Peksens	ST31	28-Oct	21-Nov	10-Feb	7-Apr	S. Tauber, CC
SGT Donald J. O'Sullivan	ST32	2-Dec	5-Dec	13-Jan	10-Feb	B. Doherty
CW 5 Paul J. Crehan	ST33	6-Dec	10-Dec	13-Jan	10-Feb	G. Reynolds
Scott C. Dow	ST34	29-Jan	30-Jan	7-Apr	22-Apr	D. May
John Shipala	ST35	13-Mar	13-Mar	7-Apr	22-Apr	T. Maguire
Paul Gladstone	ST36	12-Feb	19-Feb			B. Doherty
Michael Cullen	ST37	26-Feb	27-Feb	7-Apr	22-Apr	J. Sweeney
MAJ Joseph Finnegan	ST38	24-Mar	26-Mar	22-Apr	5-May	R. Welch
MAJ Richard Foley	ST39	24-Mar	26-Mar	22-Apr	5-May	R. Welch
Garrett D. Healey	ST40	24-Mar	26-Mar			T. Rupp
CDR Francis S. Pierce	ST41	24-Mar	26-Mar	22-Apr	5-May	R. Barrett
MAU Eric T. Furey	ST42	3-Apr	4-Apr			J. Milano, PC
MAJ Paul E. Murphy	ST43	7-Apr	9-Apr	9-Jun-03		J. Dever
William J. Walsh, Esq.	ST44	7-Apr	9-Apr			R. Itri

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PRESIDENTS OF THE UNITED STATES

<i>Name</i>	<i>Born</i>	<i>Inaugurated</i>	<i>Died</i>
1. George Washington	22 FEB	1732	1789
2. John Adams	19 OCT	1735	1797
3. Thomas Jefferson	13 APR	1743	1801
4. James Madison	16 MAR	1751	1809
5 James Munroe*	28 APR	1758	1817
6. John Q. Adams	11 JUL	1767	1825
7. Andrew Jackson	15 MAR	1767	1829
8. Martin Van Buren	5 DEC	1782	1837
9. William H. Harrison	9 FEB	1773	1841
10. John Tyler	29 MAR	1790	1841
11. James K. Polk	2 NOV	1795	1845
12. Zachary Taylor	24 NOV	1784	1849
13. Millard Filmore	7 JAN	1800	1850
14. Franklin Pierce	23 NOV	1804	1853
15. James Buchanan	23 APR	1791	1857
16. Abraham Lincoln	12 FEB	1809	1861
17. Andrew Johnson	29 DEC	1808	1865
18. Ulysses S. Grant	27 APR	1822	1869
19. Rutherford B. Hayes	4 OCT	1822	1877
20. James A. Garfield	19 NOV	1831	1881
21. Chester A. Arthur*	5 OCT	1830	1881
22. Grover Cleveland	18 MAR	1837	1885
23. Benjamin Harrison	20 AUG	1833	1889
24. Grover Cleveland	18 MAR	1887	1893
25. William McKinley	29 JAN	1843	1897
26. Theodore Roosevelt	27 OCT	1858	1901
27. William H. Taft	15 SEP	1857	1909
28. Woodrow Wilson	28 DEC	1856	1913
29. Warren G. Harding	2 NOV	1865	1921
30. Calvin Coolidge*	4 JUL	1872	1923
31. Herbert C. Hoover	19 AUG	1874	1929
32. Franklin D. Roosevelt	30 JAN	1882	1933
33. Harry S. Truman	8 MAY	1884	1945
34. Dwight D. Eisenhower	14 OCT	1890	1953

PRESIDENTS OF THE UNITED STATES *Con't*

<i>Name</i>	<i>Born</i>	<i>Inaugurated</i>	<i>Died</i>
35. John F. Kennedy*	29 MAY	1917	1961
36. Lyndon B. Johnson	27 AUG	1908	1963
37. Richard M. Nixon	9 JAN	1913	1969
38. Gerald Ford	14 JUL	1913	1974
39. Jimmy Carter	1 OCT	1924	1977
40. Ronald Reagan	6 FEB	1911	1981
41. George Bush	12 JUN	1924	1989
42. William Clinton	19 AUG	1946	1993
43. George W. Bush	6 JUL	1946	2001

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GOVERNORS OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS**COMMANDERS IN CHIEF OF THE A&HAC**

<i>Name</i>	<i>Born</i>	<i>Inaugurated</i>	<i>Died</i>
1. John Hancock	12 JAN 1737	1780	8 OCT 1793
2. James Bowdoin	8 AUG 1727	1785	6 NOV 1790
3. John Hancock	12 JAN 1737	1787	8 OCT 1793
4. Samuel Adams	16 SEP 1722	1794	2 OCT 1803
5. Increase Sumner	27 NOV 1746	1797	7 JUN 1799
6. Caleb Strong	9 JAN 1745	1800	17 NOV 1819
7. James Sullivan	22 APR 1744	1807	10 DEC 1808
8 Christopher Gore	21 SEP 1758	1809	1 MAR 1827
9. Elbridge Gerry	17 JUL 1744	1810	23 NOV 1814
10. Caleb Strong	9 JAN 1745	1812	17 NOV 1819
11. John Brooks	31 MAY 1752	1816	2 MAR 1825
12. William Eustis	10 JUN 1753	1823	6 FEB 1825
13. Levi Lincoln	25 OCT 1782	1825	29 MAY 1868
14. John Davis	13 JAN 1787	1834	19 APR 1854
15. Edward Everett	11 APR 1794	1836	15 JAN 1865
16. Marcus Morton	19 FEB 1784	1840	6 FEB 1864

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Name	Born	Inaugurated	Died
17. John Davis	13 JAN 1787	1841	19 APR 1854
18. Marcus Morton	19 FEB 1784	1843	6 FEB 1864
19. George Nixon Briggs	13 APR 1796	1844	12 SEP 1861
20. George Sewall Boutwell	28 JAN 1818	1851	27 FEB 1905
21. John H. Clifford	16 JAN 1809	1853	7 JAN 1876
22. Emory Washburn	14 FEB 1800	1854	18 MAR 1877
23. Henry J. Gardner	18 JUN 1819	1855	21 JUL 1892
24. Nathaniel Prentiss Banks	30 JAN 1816	1858	1 SEP 1884
25. John Albion Andrew	31 MAY 1818	1861	30 OCT 1867
26. Alexander Hamilton Bullock	2 MAR 1816	1866	17 JAN 1882
27. William Clain	6 MAR 1818	1869	5 JAN 1905
28. William Barrett Washburn	1 JAN 1820	1872	5 OCT 1887
29. William Gaston	3 OCT 1820	1875	19 JAN 1894
30. Alexander Hamilton Rice	30 AUG 1818	1876	22 JUL 1895
31. Thomas Talbot	7 SEP 1818	1879	6 OCT 1886
32. John Davis Long	27 OCT 1838	1880	28 AUG 1915
33. Benjamin Franklin Butler	5 NOV 1818	1883	11 JAN 1893
34. George Dexter Robinson	20 JAN 1834	1884	22 FEB 1896
35. Oliver Ames	4 FEB 1831	1887	22 OCT 1895
36. John Quincy Adams Bracked	8 JUN 1842	1890	13 NOV 1918
37. William Eustis Russell	6 JAN 1857	1891	16 JUL 1896
38. Frederick Thomas Greenhalge	19 JUL 1842	1894	5 MAR 1896
39. Roger Wolcott	13 JUL 1847	1897	2 DEC 1900
40. Winthrop Murray Crane	23 APR 1853	1900	2 OCT 1920
41. John Lewis Bates	18 SEP 1859	1903	7 JUN 1946
42. William Lewis Douglass	22 AUG 1845	1905	17 SEP 1924
43. Curtis Guild, Jr.	2 FEB 1860	1906	6 APR 1915
44. Eben Sumner Draper	17 JUN 1858	1909	9 APR 1914
45. Eugene Noble Foss	24 SEP 1858	1911	13 SEP 1939
46. David Ignatius Walsh	11 NOV 1872	1914	11 JUN 1947
47. Samuel Walker McCall	28 FEB 1851	1916	4 NOV 1923
48. Calvin Coolidge	4 JUL 1872	1919	5 JAN 1933
49. Channing H. Cos	28 FEB 1879	1921	20 AUG 1968
50. Alvin Tufts Fuller	27 FEB 1878	1925	30 APR 1958

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Name	Born	Inaugurated	Died
51. Frank Gilman Allen	6 OCT 1874	1929	9 OCT 1950
52. Joseph Buell Ely	22 FEB 1881	1931	13 JUN 1956
53. James Michael Curley	20 NOV 1893	1935	24 MAR 1946
54. Charles F. Hurley	24 NOV 1893	1937	24 MAR 1946
55. Leveret Saltonstall	1 SEP 1892	1939	14 JUN 1979
56. Maurice J. Tobin	22 MAY 1901	1945	20 JUL 1953
57. Robert Fiske Bradford	15 DEC 1902	1947	18 MAR 1983
58. Paul Andrew Dever	15 JAN 1903	1949	12 APR 1958
59. Christian Archibald Herter	28 MAR 1895	1953	31 DEC 1966
60. Foster John Furcolo	29 JUL 1911	1957	5 JUL 1995
61. John Anthony Volpe	8 DEC 1908	1961	11 NOV 1994
62. Endicott Peabody	15 FEB 1920	1963	1 DEC 1997
63. John Anthony Volpe	8 DEC 1908	1965	11 NOV 1994
64. Francis W. Sargent	29 JUL 1915	1969	21 OCT 1998
65. Michael S. Dukakis	3 NOV 1933	1975	
66. Edward J. King	11 MAY 1925	1979	18 SEP 2006
67. Michael S. Dukakis	3 NOV 1933	1983	
68. William F. Weld	31 JUL 1945	1991	
69. Argeo Paul Cellucci	24 APR 1948	1997	8 JUN 2013
70. Jane Maria Swift	24 FEB 1965	2001	
71. Mitt Romney	12 MAR 1947	2003	

ADJUTANTS GENERAL OF MASSACHUSETTS

Name	Term of Office	
BGEN Peleg Wadsworth	13 MAR 1778	2 MAR 1782
BGEN Ebenezer Bridge	2 MAR 1782	11 DEC 1785
BGEN Israel Keith	11 DEC 1785	3 APR 1788
BGEN William Donnison	3 APR 1788	15 FEB 1813
MGEN John Brooks	22 FEB 1813	1 JUN 1816
MGEN Ebenezer Mattoon	3 FEB 1818	12 JUN 1818
COL Fitch Hall (Acting)	3 FEB 1818	12 JUN 1818
<i>(during illness of Gen. Mattoon)</i>		

ADJUTANTS GENERAL OF MASSACHUSETTS *Con't*

Name	Term of Office	
BGEN William H. Sumner	12 JUN 1818	5 FEB 1835
BGEN Henry A.S. Dearborn	5 FEB 1835	6 MAR 1843
BGEN Joseph F. Boyd	16 MAR 1843	17 MAR 1844
BGEN Henry K. Oliver	22 MAR 1844	15 JAN 1848
BGEN George H. Devereux	15 JAN 1848	6 MAY 1851
BGEN Ebenezer W. Stone	6 MAY 1851	2 APR 1860
BGEN William Schouler	2 APR 1860	17 DEC 1866
MGEN James A. Cunningham	17 DEC 1866	14 JAN 1879
MGEN A. Hun Berry	14 JAN 1879	4 JAN 1883
MGEN Samuel Dalton	4 JAN 1883	5 JAN 1905
BGEN William Stopford	5 JAN 1905	4 JAN 1906
BGEN James A. Frye	4 JAN 1906	15 MAR 1907
BGEN James P. Parker	15 MAR 1907	1 JAN 1908
BGEN William H. Brigham	1 JAN 1908	5 JAN 1911
BGEN Gardner W. Pearson	5 JAN 1911	2 MAY 1914
BGEN Charles H. Cole	27 MAY 1914	5 AUG 1916
BGEN Gardner W. Pearson	5 AUG 1916	16 MAR 1917
BGEN E. Leroy Sweetser	16 MAR 1917	25 JUL 1917
BGEN Jesse F. Stevens	25 JUL 1917	8 JAN 1931
BGEN John H. Agnew	8 JAN 1931	3 JAN 1935
BGEN William I. Rose	3 JAN 1935	7 JAN 1937
BGEN Charles H. Cole	7 JAN 1937	5 JAN 1939
BGEN Edgar C. Erickson	5 JAN 1939	1 JUL 1942
BGEN John H. Sherburne	1 JUL 1942	12 APR 1943
BGEN William J. Keville	13 APR 1943	7 MAY 1946
MGEN William H. Harrison, Jr	8 MAY 1946	4 JAN 1961
MGEN Thomas J. Donnelly	4 JAN 1961	9 DEC 1964
MGEN Joseph M. Ambrose	9 DEC 1964	19 DEC 1969
MGEN Timothy J. Regan, Jr	19 DEC 1969	30 JUN 1972
MGEN Vahan Vartanian	5 JUL 1972	12 DEC 1982
MGEN Anthony C. Spadorcia	13 DEC 1982	17 NOV 1987
MGEN Wayne F. Wagner	17 NOV 1987	19 NOV 1993
MGEN Raymond A. Vezina	19 NOV 1993	23 JUL 1999
MGEN George W. Keefe (ANG)	24 JUL 1999	PRESENT

**COMMANDING GENERALS OF THE 26TH INFANTRY
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Name	From	To
MGEN Edwards, Clarence R.	22 AUG 1917	26 OCT 1918
MGEN Hale, Harry C.	27 OCT 1918	27 APR 1919
MGEN Logan, Edward L.	22 MAR 1923	22 MAR 1926
MGEN Foote, Alfred F.	23 MAR 1926	14 NOV 1930
MGEN Fish, Erland F.	14 NOV 1930	16 NOV 1934
MGEN Needham, Daniel	16 NOV 1934	16 NOV 1939
MGEN Eckfeldt, Roger W.	16 NOV 1939	25 AUG 1943
WENT ON ACTIVE DUTY 16 JANUARY 1941		
MGEN Paul, Willard S.	25 AUG 1943	23 MAY 1945
BGEN Ross, Morill	23 MAYH 1945	8 JUN 1945
BGEN Hartness, Harlan H.	8 JUN 1945	4 AUG 1945
MGEN Reinhart, Stanley E.	17 AUG 1945	16 OCT 1945
MGEN Grow, Robert W.	11 NOV 1945	28 DEC 1945
NATIONAL GUARD ACTIVATED 9 SEPTEMBER 1941		
MGEN Rose, William I.	9 SEP 1946	8 SEP 1951
MGEN Sirois, Edward D.	9 SEP 1951	11 DEC 1956
MGEN Maurer, Reginald A.	12 DEC 1956	12 NOV 1957
MGEN Whitney, Otis M.	13 NOV 1957	10 NOV 1962
MGEN Quigley, Richard J.	11 NOV 1962	25 NOV 1967
MGEN Wilkinson, Raymond A.	25 NOV 1967	31 MAY 1970
MGEN Logan, Edward F.	25 JUN 1970	25 MAR 1973
MGEN Vartanian, Vahan	26 MAR 1973	4 AUG 1973
MGEN Del Torto, Nicholas J	5 AUG 1973	16 SEP 1980
MGEN Daley, James A.	17 SEP1980	31 DEC 1981
MGEN Hegarty, Joseph P.	1 JAN 1982	8 SEP 1985
MGEN Saladino, Joseph P.	9 SEP 1985	1 OCT 1988
MGEN Gorski, Chester	2 OCT 1988	28 AUG 1993

MAYORS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON**The City of Boston was Chartered in 1882**

1. John Phillips	1822	29. Albert Palmer	1883
2. Josiah Quincy	1823	30. Augustus P. Martin	1884
3. Harrison Gray Otis	1829	31. Hugh O'Brien	1885
4. Charles Wells	1832	32. Thomas N. Hart	1889
5. Theodore Lyman, Jr.	1834	33. Nathan Matthews, Jr	1891
6. Samuel T. Armstrong	1836	34. Edwin U. Curtis	1895
7. Samuel A. Eliot	1837	35. Josiah Quincy	1896
8. Jonathan Chapman	1840	36. Thomas N. Hart	1900
9. Martin Brimmer	1843	37. Patrick A. Collins	1902
10. Thomas A. Davis	1845	38. Daniel A. Whelton	1905
11. Josiah Quincy, Jr.	1846	39. John F. Fitzgerald	1906
12. John P. Bigelow	1849	40. George A. Hibbard	1908
13. Benjamin Seaver	1852	41. John F. Fitzgerald	1910
14. Jerome V.C. Smith	1854	42. James M. Curley	1914
15. Alexander H. Rice	1856	43. Andrew J. Peters	1918
16. Frederic W. Lincoln, Jr.	1858	44. James M. Curley	1922
17. Joseph W. Wightman	1861	45. Malcolm E. Nichols	1926
18. Frederic W. Lincoln, Jr.	1863	46. James M. Curley	1930
19. Otis Norcross	1867	47. Frederick W. Mansfield	1934
20. Nathaniel B. Shurtleff	1868	48. Maurice J. Tobin	1938
21. William Gaston	1871	49. John E. Kerrigan	1945
22. Henry L. Pierce	1873	50. James M. Curley	1946
23. Leonard R. Cutter	1873	51. John B. Hynes	1947
24. Samuel C. Cobb	1874	52. John F. Collins	1960
25. Frederick O. Prince	1877	53. Kevin H. White	1968
26. Henry L. Pierce	1878	54. Raymond L. Flynn	1984
27. Frederick O. Prince	1879	55. Thomas Menino	1993
28. Samuel A. Green	1882		

RECORD OF FALL TOURS OF DUTY**The Chronological record of Fall Field Days since 1834:**

1834	Newton	1870	Newport, R.I.
1835	South Boston	1871	Spy Pond
1836	Charlestown	1872	Duxbury
1837	South Boston	1873	Indian Hill Farm and Newburyport
1838	Salem		
1839	South Boston	1874	Manchester, N.H.
1840	South Boston	1875	Waltham and Concord
1841	East Boston	1876	Worcester
1842	Cambridge	1877	Hartford, Conn.
1843	West Cambridge	1878	Hingham
1844	South Boston	1879	Lowell
1845	Cambridge	1880	Concord, N.H.
1846	Cambridge	1881	Wellesley
1847	Concord, N.H.	1882	Marshfield
1848	Cambridge	1883	New York, N.Y.
1849	Salem	1884	New Bedford
1850	Waltham	1885	New Haven, Conn.
1852	Savin Hill	1886	White Mountains, N.H.
1853	Bellows Falls, Vt.	1887	Montreal, Canada
1854	Cambridge	1888	Saratoga, N.Y.
1855	Providence, R.I.	1889	Troy and Albany, N.Y.
1856	Cambridge	1890	Philadelphia, Pa.
1857	Lexington	1891	White Mountains, N.H.
1858	Barnstable	1892	New York, N.Y.
1859	Lexington	1893	Pittsfield
1860	Nashua, N.H.	1894	Washington, D.C.
1861	Cambridge	1895	Richmond, Va.
1862	Malden	1896	Baltimore, Md.
1863	Ipswich	1897	Syracuse and Buffalo, N.Y.
1864	Plymouth	1898	Quebec, Canada
1865	Barnstable	1899	Gettysburg and
1866	Newburyport	1900	Philadelphia, Pa. and Montreal, Canada
1867	Providence, R.I.		
1868	Springfield	1901	Boston
1869	Portland, Me.	1902	Cleveland, Ohio

1903	Boston	1930	Quebec and Saguenay River, Canada
1904	Norfolk, Va.		
1905	Albany, N.Y.	1931	Nassau, Bahama Islands
1906	Atlantic City, N.J.	1932	Baltimore, Md., Washington, D.C. and Mount Vernon, Va
1907	Toronto, Canada		
1908	Detroit, Mich.	1933	Saint John, N.B.
1909	Milwaukee, Wis.	1934	Ottawa, Canada
1910	Bangor, Portland and Kineo, Me.	1935	Valley Forge and Philadelphia, Pa.
1911	Bermuda	1936	Richmond, Va.
1912	Springfield, Mass., Burlington, Vt., and White Mts., N.H.	1937	St. John, N.B., Canada
1913	Rochester, N.Y.	1938	Havana, Cuba
1914	Gettysburg and Philadelphia, Pa.	1939	Atlantic City, N.J.
1915	Richmond, Va.	1940	Fishers Island, N.Y.
1916	Atlantic City, N.J.	1941	Montreal, Canada
1917	Providence and Newport, R.I.	1942	Burlington, Vt.
1918	Lowell	1943	Boston, Mass.
1919	(Omitted - Boston Police Strike)	1944	Boston, Mass.
1920	Montreal and Ottawa, Canada	1945	Quebec and Saguenay River, Canada
1921	New York, N.Y. and Plymouth, Mass.	1946	Ottawa, Canada
1922	Bermuda	1947	Saint John, N.B., Canada
1923	Quebec and Saguenay River, Canada	1948	Bermuda
1924	Philadelphia, Pa., and Atlantic City, N.J.	1949	Toronto, Canada
1925	Havana, Cuba	1950	Montreal, Quebec and Saguenay River, Canada
1926	Montreal and Saguenay River, Canada	1951	Portsmouth and New Castle, N.H.
1927	St. John, N.B.	1952	Havana, Cuba and Nassau, Bahama Islands
1928	Toronto, Canada	1953	Ottawa, Canada
1929	Halifax, N.S., Canada	1954	London, England and Paris, France
		1955	Miami Beach, FL
		1956	Brussels, Belgium and Holland
		1957	The West Indies

1958	Rome, Italy and Nice, France	1976	Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
1959	London, England and Munich, Germany	1977	India, Yugoslavia
1960	Bermuda and Miami Beach, FL	1978	London, England and Brussels, Belgium
1961	Washington, D.C. and New Orleans, La.	1979	Montreal, Canada and San Juan, Puerto Rico
1962	Copenhagen, Denmark and Stockholm, Sweden	1980	Ottawa and Vancouver, Canada
1963	Madrid, Spain, and Rome, Italy	1981	Honolulu, Hawaii and San Francisco, California
1964	Honolulu, Hong Kong, Tokyo, Japan and Stockholm, Sweden	1982	Sydney, Australia Auckland, Honolulu, Hawaii
1965	Rio de Janeiro, Brazil and Buenos Aires, Argentina	1983	Republic of Korea, Crown Colony of Hong Kong
1966	Vienna, Austria and Geneva, Switzerland	1984	Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
1967	Berlin, Germany and Estoril, Portugal	1985	Hamburg, Germany and Copenhagen, Denmark
1968	Athens, Greece, Beirut, Lebanon and Palma de Mallorca, Spain	1986	Helsinki, Finland, Leningrad, USSR and Stockholm, Sweden
1969	Sydney, Australia, Auckland, New Zealand	1987	London, England and Rome, Italy
1970	Amsterdam, Holland and Budapest, Hungary	1988	Munich, Berlin, Germany
1971	London, England	1989	Washington, DC, Tokyo, Japan and Bangkok & Pataya, Thailand
1972	Paris, France, Torremolinos, Spain and Tangiers, Morocco	1990	Monaco, French Riviera and Amsterdam, Holland
1973	Hamburg, Germany	1991	Budapest, Hungary and Marbella, Spain
1974	Moscow, U.S.S.R., Copenhagen, Denmark and Dublin, Ireland	1992	Capetown, South Africa and Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
1975	Rome, Italy, Tel Aviv and Jerusalem, Israel	1993	Portugal, Malta and Sicily
		1994	Australia and New Zealand
		1995	Panama and Santo Domingo
		1996	London, England, Paris, France and Ireland

1997	Munich, Germany and Prague, Czech Republic	2001	Cayman, British Commonwealth, Honduras and Belize and Mexico
1998	Ottawa and Vancouver, Canada	2002	Budapest, Hungary; Bratislava, Slovakia and Vienna, Germany
1999	Helsinki, Finland and Tallinn, Estonia		
2000	Rome, Italy and Berlin, Germany		

THE CENTENNIAL LEGION OF HISTORIC MILITARY COMMANDS, INC.

Roster of Member Units

New Hampshire

Second Company, First New Hampshire Regiment (1775)
Amoskeag Veterans (1854)

Massachusetts

Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Mass. (1638)
First Corps of Cadets (126th Signal BN, 26th INF DIV.) (1726)
Lexington Minute Men, Inc. (1773)
Bedford Minute Man Company (1775)
Acton Minutemen (1775)
Second Corps of Cadets (1st BN 192 Field Artillery) (1785)
Fusilier Veterans Corps (1787)
U.S.S. Constitution (21 Oct 1797)
Marine Detachment (1797)
Boston Light Infantry (The Tigers) (1798)
North Regiment (First BN 182nd Infantry MNG) (1636)
Massachusetts National Lancers (1835)
Veteran Association of the Lawrence Light Guard of Medford (1857)
Boston Light Artillery Association, Inc. (1853)
Fifth Mass. Battery (E) Light Artillery, Army of the Potomac (1861)
Second Corps of Cadets Veterans Association, Inc. (1866)
Veteran Association of the First Corps of Cadets (1876)

Rhode Island

Artillery Company of Newport (1741)
Kentish Guards, R.I.M. (1774)
Pawtuxet Rangers R.I.M. (1774)
Gloucester Light Infantry, R.I.M. (1774)
Bristol Train of Artillery (1776)
First Light Infantry Regiment R.I.M. (1818)
Varnum Continentals (1907)

Connecticut

1st Regiment - Connecticut Militia (HQ 1st BN 169th INF) (1672)
 Regiment of Fairfield County (2 BN, 192nd FA, CTANG) (1672)
 Second Connecticut Regiment of Militia (HQ 1st BN
 102nd INF) (1739)
 First Company Governors Foot Guards (1771)
 Second Company Governors Foot Guard (1775)
 First Company Governors Horse Guard (1778)
 Second Company Governors Horse Guard (1808)
 New Haven Grays, Co A, 1st BN, 102nd INF, CTARNG, (1816)
 Putnam Phalanx (1858)
 First Regiment Connecticut Volunteer Cavalry Inc. (1861)
New York Eighth Company, Fourth Regiment of the
 Continental Line (1775)
 Veterans Association of the Eighth Regiment Infantry NYNG (1784)
 9th Regiment, New York Guard (1786)
 Veteran Corps of Artillery, State of New York (1790)
 Utica Citizens Corps (1808)
 Old Guard of the City of New York (1826)
 Pulaski Cadets (1826)
 1st Battalion, 105th Field Artillery NYARNG (1833)
 1st Battalion, 187th Field Artillery NYARNG (1847)
 Columbian Rifles (187th Signal Brigade, NYANG) (1848)
 Veterans of the Seventh Regiment NYNG (1859)
 2nd Battalion, 104th Field Artillery NYARNG (1867)
 Veterans Association of the 71st Regiment, NYNG (1869)
 Veterans of the Ninth Regiment (1871)
 Veteran Corps 69th Regiment, Inc. (1874)
 Veterans Association of the Thirteenth Regiment, 59th AEF,
 245th CA, NYNG (1874)
 Veteran Association of the 12th Infantry NYNG (1883)
 101st Signal Battalion NYARNG (1886)

New Jersey

Essex Troop (1890)
 Morris Guards (1887)

Pennsylvania

Veterans Corps First Infantry Regiment NGP (1747)
 Veteran Guard Third Infantry Regiment NGP (1747)
 First Troop, Philadelphia City Cavalry (1774)
 Artillery Corps Washington Grays (1777)
 103rd Engineer Battalion ANGP Colonial Company (1777)
 State Fencibles Infantry (1813)
 Old Guard State Fencible (1819)
 108th Combat Support Hospital (Second Pennsylvania) (1840)
 Old Guard City of Philadelphia, Inc. (1856)

Georgia

The Chatham Artillery Corporation (1786)
 Savannah Volunteer Guards, Inc. (1802)
 Old Guard Battalion of the Gate City Guard (1854)
 Gate City Guard (1855)
 First Volunteer Regiment of Georgia (1860)

Delaware

1st Delaware Regiment (American Rifles Assn.) HQ 198th
 Signal BN (1776)

Maryland

Fifth Maryland (1st BN 175th Infantry MDARNG) (1774)
 Veteran Corps Fifth Regiment Infantry (1888)

Virginia

First Virginia Regiment Veterans (176th Infantry VANG) (1680)
 Richmond Light Infantry Blues Veteran Corps (1789)

North Carolina

Fayetteville Independent Light Infantry Company (1793)

South Carolina

Washington Light Infantry (1807)
 Sumter Guards Veterans Association (1819)

THE STAIRWAY OF THE CONSTITUTION

The tablet (bronze plaque) on each riser running from bottom to top indicates the order in which the states ratified the Constitution.

On Monday, 17 May 1937, the dedication of these plaques took place and was officially designated as "*The Stairway of the Constitution.*"

In May of 1968, Captain Ralph De Stefano arranged for and had installed the flag of the respective State in place on each step. In 1992 the flags were replaced at the time of the restoration and renewal of the Museum/Armory.

Dates of Ratification

DELAWARE

7 December 1787

PENNSYLVANIA

12 December 1787

NEW JERSEY

18 December 1787

GEORGIA

2 January 1788

CONNECTICUT

9 January 1788

MASSACHUSETTS

6 February 1788

MARYLAND

18 April 1788

SOUTH CAROLINA

23 May 1788

NEW HAMPSHIRE

21 June 1788

VIRGINIA

25 June 1788

NEW YORK

26 July 1788

NORTH CAROLINA

21 November 1788

RHODE ISLAND

29 May 1790

The Continental Congress, on September 13, 1788, proclaimed the ratification by nine states and ordered the convening of the new government on March 4, 1789

MEMBERS OF THE SOCIETY OF PAST COMMANDERS

Year of Command

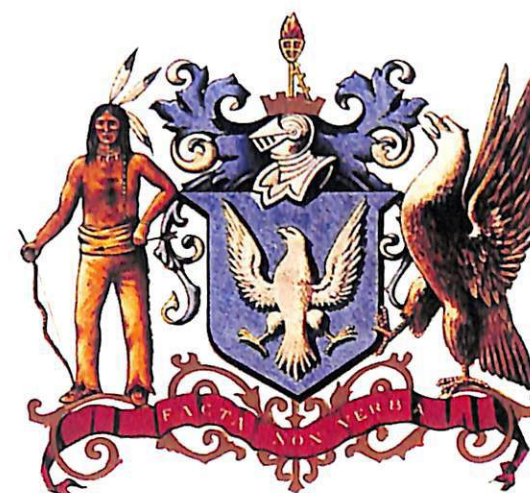
251st	MGEN I. Jerome O'Connor	1960-1961
256th	CPT John J. Riley, Jr.	1965-1966
260th	ETC Calvin W. Clayton	1969-1970
261st	BGEN James E. Clair	1970-1971
262nd	CPT Edward J. Keelan	1971 -1972
263rd	MGEN James A. Lamphier	1972-1973
264th	BGEN Joseph S. Zareiko	1973-1974
265th	BGEN Robert L. Marr	1974-1975
267th	MGEN John F. Cremens, KM	1976-1977
268th	CPT Robert D. Murphy	1977-1978
269th	MGEN James A. Lynch, Jr.	1978-1979
271st	CPT J. Barry Driscoll, KM	1980-1981
273rd	COL William F. DiPesa, KM	1982-1983
275th	BGEN Joseph S. Loughman	1984-
276th	COL Sylvester A. Ray	1984-1985
277th	BGEN Joseph S. Loughman	1985-1986
278th	CPT Paul R. Tierney	1987-1988
280th	LTC M. Joseph DeMatteo	1988-1989
281st	BGEN Joseph A. Milano, KM	1989-1990
282nd	MA J Arthur E. Nashawaty	1990-1991
283rd	BGEN Reynold P. Graunas	1991-1992
284th	COL Leonard J. Sacco	1992-1993
285th	LTC Ernest C. Caggiano	1993-1994

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		<i>Year of Command</i>
286th	COL John F. McNulty	1994-1995
287th	CPT Roy S. Chase, Sr.	1995-1996
288th	CPT Paul J. Mahoney	1996-1997
289th	COL Richard A. Luccio	1997-1998
290th	COL John A. Moore	1998-1999
291st	CPT Albert G. Fiorenza	1999-2000
292nd	CPT Louis A. Zuliani	2000-2001
293rd	CPT Joseph C. Benoit	2001-2002

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Abbreviations

ABBREVIATIONS

A&HAC	—	Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company
RA	—	US Army
USN	—	US Navy
USMC	—	US Marine Corps
USCG	—	US Coast Guard
AEF	—	American Expeditionary Force WWI
AUS	—	Army of the United States
USAAF	—	US Army Air Force
USAF	—	US Air Force
USMS	—	US Maritime Service
USAR	—	US Army Reserve
USNR	—	US Naval Reserve
USMCR	—	US Marine Corps Reserve
USCGR	—	US Coast Guard Reserve
ARNG	—	Army National Guard
ANG	—	Air National Guard
MSG	—	Mass State Guard
MOM	—	Mass Organized militia
RN	—	Royal Navy United Kingdom
AG	—	Army of Greece
CACW	—	Chinese American Composite Wing
KY	—	Kentucky
NHM	—	New Hampshire Militia
NYMA	—	New York Military Academy
RIM	—	Rhode Island Militia
BTA	—	Bristol Train of Artillery RIM
FVC	—	Fusilier Veterans Corps
VCANY	—	Veterans Corps of Artillery, State of NY
NL	—	Mass National Lancers

